

FORECAST—Fresh northeast-  
erly winds; mostly fair today and  
Friday; probably a shower to-  
night.  
Wednesday in Victoria cloudy.

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# Victoria Daily Times

## CALIFORNIA FLOOD DEATHS REPORTED TO BE 124

### Joint Operation Plan For C.N.R. Vancouver Hotel

Hungerford to Propose to  
Council C.P.R. Share in  
Scheme

Present C.P.R.  
Hotel to Close

VANCOUVER (CP)—President  
S. J. Hungerford of Canadian  
National Railways announced to-  
day he would outline to the city  
council tomorrow morning an  
arrangement by which the new  
Canadian National Hotel here  
would be jointly operated by the  
Canadian National and Canadian  
Pacific railways.

He said the hotel would not be  
operated solely by the C.P.R., and  
that the structure would be  
opened in May, 1939.

There would, however, be only  
one railway hotel in Vancouver.  
The present Canadian Pacific  
Railway Hotel would be closed  
on opening of the jointly-operated  
building.

#### TALKS WITH MAYOR

"Mr. Hungerford and I have  
had a long chat," Mayor G. C.  
Miller said today. "There has  
been a movement on foot as re-  
gards possible joint operation of  
the Canadian National Hotel, and  
Mr. Hungerford has come out  
here to discuss the matter with  
us."

"A meeting of the city council  
is called for tomorrow at 10  
a.m., at which Mr. Hungerford  
will present the plan of operation."

"I want my colleagues on the  
council to discuss the proposition  
with Mr. Hungerford before any  
definite announcement is made."  
"I don't want anything signed,  
sealed and delivered until I get  
the views of the council. Mr.  
Hungerford is anxious that  
nothing will be foisted on the city  
with which the council is not in  
agreement."

Mr. Hungerford arrived in Van-  
couver this morning.

On his way here the C.N.R.  
head was delayed an hour and a  
half by a small slide near Blue  
River in the Kamloops district.  
He was accompanied by several  
railway officials.

"I am not prepared to say any-  
thing about the hotel until after  
I see the mayor (G. C. Miller)."  
Mr. Hungerford said immediately  
after his arrival. "It would be  
discourteous for me to make any  
announcement in regard to the  
hotel until I had seen him."

Answering a newspaperman's  
question as to whether the Can-

### TOURISTS UP 50 PER CENT

Heavy Increase in First Two  
Months of Year Shown By  
Customs Figures

An increase of 50 per cent in  
the number of winter tourists  
coming to Vancouver Island  
from the United States was an-  
nounced this morning by George  
L. Warren, Victoria and Island  
publicity commissioner.

Figures compiled by George A.  
Yardley, district collector of cus-  
toms, from movements through  
the customs offices at Victoria  
and Sidney showed an increase  
of 43.7 per cent in the number of  
cars handled and 53.2 per cent in  
the number of passengers in the  
cars during the first two months  
of the year.

Cars passing through the cus-  
toms at the two ports during Jan-  
uary and February totaled 730,  
as against 508 in the same months  
last year, and passengers num-  
bered 1,675 against 1,091.

During the two months cars  
came to Victoria from 15 states  
including New York, Florida, the  
District of Columbia, Minnesota,  
Maryland, Ohio and Illinois and  
from Hawaii and England.

#### EXPECT RECORD YEAR

"Indications point to an all-  
time tourist record this year,"  
said Mr. Warren this morning.

More than 6,000 inquiries had  
already been received by the  
Canadian Travel Bureau, oper-  
ated by the Dominion Govern-  
ment, and the Victoria bureau  
had sent literature to all of  
these, Mr. Warren said.

He also mentioned the exten-  
sive advertising which the island  
was receiving through the State  
of Washington's \$100,000 maga-  
zine campaign, and through dis-  
play advertisements of the Ever-  
green Playground Association, of  
which Victoria is a member.

Canadian National Railways was  
considering giving over its  
coastal steamships to the Cana-  
dian Pacific Railway's coast ser-  
vice, Mr. Hungerford said.

"I can deny that. There is ab-  
solutely nothing under consid-  
eration in that regard."

### Home Where Return of Kidnapped Boy Awaited



It was to the above house at New Rochelle, N.Y., 12-year-old Peter  
Levine was returning from school last Thursday when he was ab-  
ducted. At the request of the father, Murray Levine (left), the police  
have stood aside to permit ransom efforts.



### In Contact With Abduction Gang

Reports Say M. Levine, New  
York, Negotiating For His  
Son's Return

NEW ROCHELLE, N.Y. (AP).  
—Police expectantly awaited a  
"break" in the case of 12-year-old  
Peter Levine, missing one week  
today, as reports persisted con-  
tact had been made with the sup-  
posed kidnappers.

The frantic father, Murray  
Levine, refused point blank to  
say whether he had paid the \$60,  
000 investigators said had been  
demanded in a third ransom note.

The New York attorney, who  
has remained since Monday  
cloistered within his fashionable  
suburban home here with his  
wife and 10-year-old daughter,  
intimated a statement would be  
forthcoming soon. He again ap-  
pealed to police to let him handle  
the case unaided.

Peter disappeared last Thurs-  
day when on the way home.

### PLANE FLIES OVER PRAIRIES

WINNIPEG (CP)—A Trans-  
Canada Airlines plane which  
hopped of for Lethbridge this  
morning returned to Stevenson  
Field here this afternoon after  
dropping a cargo of mail at Re-  
gina.

The ship, piloted by James  
Sandgate and Marlene Kennedy,  
returned because of poor weather  
between Regina and Lethbridge.

#### PLANE AT VANCOUVER

VANCOUVER (CP)—Trans-  
Canada Airlines today canceled  
the scheduled experimental mail  
flight to Lethbridge, Alta., on the  
way to Winnipeg owing to "bad  
weather."

It was the second successive  
day the flight was canceled for  
the same reason. On Tuesday a  
transport plane piloted by Bruce  
Middleton left here for Leth-  
bridge, but turned back when it  
struck heavy overcast skies near  
Hope, B.C., 100 miles east of Van-  
couver in the Fraser Canyon.

#### L. R. MURDOCK DIES

BOSTON (AP)—Louis Rae  
(Riley) Murdock, news editor of  
the Boston Sunday Advertiser  
and for 32 years a worker for  
Hearst newspapers, died Wednes-  
day night of a heart attack.

### Hope Felt Some May Survive In Missing Airliner

### JAPAN PARTY HEAD BEATEN

Four Russians in Tokio In-  
jure I. Abe; Excitement  
in Diet

TOKIO (AP)—An attack by  
four Russians on Isoo Abe, head  
of the Social Mass Party, shunted  
aside today study of the govern-  
ment's drastic war control bill.

The 73-year-old party chieftain  
was clubbed in his bedroom by  
assailants cursing his political  
views as leader of the party  
whose position on the measure  
has not been announced. Members  
of two major parties, Minseitō  
and Seiyūkai, have attacked the  
bill as Fascistic. It is believed  
ill-informed rightists mistakenly  
attacked Abe.

When the committee studying  
the measure reconvened, Social  
Mass representatives launched a  
savage attack on Admiral Nobu-  
masa Suetsugu, home minister  
and one of the national mobiliza-  
tion bill's chief defenders.

"We believe in the home min-  
ister's previous statements that  
he would suppress those distur-  
bing peace and order whether they  
were liberals or Nipponists,"  
declared Jotaro Kawakami, So-  
cial Mass leader.

Suetsugu expressed regret the  
attack had been made, saying  
parliament members had a right  
to expect freedom of expression  
during national mobilization de-  
bate.

Shouting committee members  
defied the chairman's efforts to  
restore order until Premier  
Fumimaro Konoye rose to speak.  
"The government deeply  
regrets that such an incident  
should have occurred," Prince  
Konoye said. "During Diet ses-  
sions the government will take  
measures to protect the members.  
I will attend to it personally."

### British Army In Year Costs \$534,630,000

Estimates Made Public To-  
day Call For Big Increase  
Over 1937-38 Sum

LONDON (CP)—The British  
army will cost \$106,500,000 (\$534,  
630,000) during the financial year  
1938-39, which will start April 1.  
This is \$24,326,000 more than in  
1937-38. The increased cost, says  
a War Office memorandum, mea-  
sures the progress made by  
bringing military preparations  
up to date. The army estimates  
for 1938-39 are almost treble those  
of five years ago.

The army estimates today fol-  
lowed yesterday's figure of \$102,  
720,000 for the Royal Air Force.  
They brought the increase for

### Reports Flares Seen; Shots Heard Spur Searchers in California

FRESNO, Calif. (AP)—Reports  
of flares and two mysterious  
shots spurred searchers today in  
the hope some of the nine per-  
sons on a missing Transconti-  
ental and Western Air skyleiner  
might have survived if it crashed.

Residents of the Sierra Nevada  
Shaver Lake district, 30 miles  
northwest of here, declared they  
saw the blazing white flares as a  
big plane groped its way  
through a severe rainstorm  
Tuesday evening.

A snowstorm prevented the  
takeoff of more than a dozen  
planes today, but eight skiers  
left Shaver to cover the vicinity  
of Music Mountain and canyons  
leading down from Big Creek.

#### TWO SHOTS HEARD

Reports of two shots being  
heard about 2 a.m. Wednesday,  
two hours after "a terrific crash-  
ing sound," were made to Trans-  
continental and Western Air of-  
ficials here by William Bassen  
and Raleigh Rhodes of Fresno.

Rhodes lives here, but was at  
his cabin at Bass Lake, 45 miles  
north of Fresno, Tuesday night  
when the skyleiner vanished.

He declared he had heard what  
he believed was the crash of a  
plane at 11:45 p.m.

Two hours later, he said, there  
were two distinct reports, as  
though someone was firing dis-  
tress signal shots.

#### SCAR ON MOUNTAIN

The searching party on skis  
today toiled toward a great moun-  
tain-side scar 60 miles east of  
here.

A white object was reported  
seen near the scar yesterday.  
The scar, estimated by searchers  
a mile and a half distant as 200  
feet long, was apparently gouged  
out of the mountainside.

Unexplained lights were re-  
ported in the vicinity of the mark.

### Reorganization Proceeds

In the new military service the  
cavalry charger steadily yields to  
the unromantic tank. In cavalry  
of the line, two regiments, it is  
planned eventually will remain  
horsed, the remainder to be  
mechanized. By the end of 1938,  
15 regiments on British establish-  
ments will consist of 12 mechan-  
ized and three horsed. Two  
British cavalry regiments in India  
already are mechanized. In 1914  
the British army had an establish-  
ment of 28,742 horses. The pres-  
ent establishment of horses is

### As Big Storm Tide Begins To Turn 10,000 People Are Listed As Homeless

### TWO HURT AT ALBERT HEAD

W. A. Oliver and A. Stevens  
Thrown on to Derrick Plate  
During Work

W. A. "Bill" Oliver, 1425 Elford  
Street, and Albert Stevens, 1133  
North Park Street, were injured  
this morning when they were  
swept into a hole and dropped  
10 feet on to a derrick plate  
while working on the Albert Head  
defence project. They were  
rushed to the Jubilee Hospital by  
the C. and C. ambulance.

Stevens was reported to be  
suffering from a crushed pelvis  
which caused contusions and pos-  
sible minor fractures.

Oliver was shaken up by the  
accident but suffered no serious  
injuries.

The men were working with  
the derrick crew when they were  
caught by the cable.

### British Envoy And Hitler Talk

Ambassador's Visit Is Ex-  
pected to Open New Anglo-  
German Negotiations

LONDON (AP)—The Foreign  
Office announced today Chan-  
cellor Hitler had received Sir Neville  
Henderson, British ambassador to  
Germany, "for general conver-  
sation upon subjects of interest to  
both countries."

Sir Neville conferred with Hitler  
in the presence of German For-  
eign Minister Joachim von Rib-  
bentrop, retiring ambassador to  
Great Britain.

The talk, it was assumed,  
marked formal opening of Anglo-  
German negotiations to parallel  
friendship talks between London  
and Rome under Prime Minister  
Chamberlain's new policy of  
"realistic appeasement."

The Earl of Perth, envoy to  
Italy, prepared to return to Rome  
tomorrow to carry out Mr. Cham-  
berlain's objective of reaching a  
new understanding with It Duce.

Thus the Hitler-Henderson  
meeting was taken in diplomatic  
quarters to mean Great Britain is  
ready to begin negotiations for  
the four-power pact Mr. Cham-  
berlain considers the essential basis  
for European appeasement.

### Plea Is Reversed At Moscow Trial

N. Krestinsky, Among 21,  
Pleads Guilty of Treason  
After Denial

MOSCOW (AP)—Nicholas N.  
Krestinsky, who Wednesday  
stood alone among his 20 co-  
defendants and declared his  
innocence of treason, today  
pleaded "completely guilty to all  
crimes" charged against him in  
Moscow's greatest treason trial.

Thus for the second successive  
day, Krestinsky, former am-  
bassador to Germany and once vice-  
commissioner for foreign affairs,  
provided the trial with its great-  
est sensation.

Yesterday, when his 20 fellow  
accused, including men fallen  
from some of the highest stations  
in the Soviet regime, pleaded  
guilty, Krestinsky protested his  
innocence and repudiated his pre-  
trial confession of guilt.

Today he abandoned that  
repudiation and gave up his lone  
defence.

#### Four Missing After Hull Fire

HULL, Que. (CP)—Three men  
and possibly one woman were  
feared dead today in the icy  
ruins of a Hull apartment house,  
destroyed by a \$60,000 fire which  
also razed nearby buildings.

The three believed to have  
perished were Joseph Charron,  
Adelard Lemieux and Oscar  
Paquette. It was reported Char-  
ron's sister also had been trapped  
in the building.

### Property Damage Runs Into Millions With Bridges Breaking, Highways Sinking and Houses Col- lapsing in Los Angeles Area Where Unprece- dented Rainfall Was From 6 to 14 Inches in 24 Hours

### REEVE UP FOR SERVING FOOD

Mussallem of Port Haney  
Summoned For Giving Re-  
freshments to Voters

Sandwiches and coffee served to  
voters on election day brought  
Reeve Solomon Mussallem a sum-  
mons to appear in court today,  
and he said he hoped "they'll go  
ahead with it right away so I can  
explain."

The summons was served on  
the Maple Ridge municipality  
executive after an information  
charging Reeve Mussallem "did  
cause to give entertainment by  
way of refreshment" last Janu-  
ary 22 had been laid by Max  
Kinnaird of Vancouver.

Section 113 of the Elections Act  
says that "any candidate at an  
election who is convicted of  
bribery, treating, or undue influ-  
ence . . . shall be incapable of  
being elected to, or holding office  
on any municipal council after  
the date of said conviction."

### FROM VANCOUVER

Said Reeve Mussallem:  
"Some voters came up from  
Vancouver (25 miles west of  
here) on election day, and after  
they had cast their ballots my  
campaign manager—without my  
knowledge—said: 'Come on boys  
and have some coffee and sand-  
wiches in the restaurant here.'"

"And they did, and somebody  
saw them and said: 'Oh, that's  
Sol Mussallem doing that.'"

"I wish they'd go ahead with  
this thing right away. Then I'd  
have a chance to explain."

### Immortality For Japan Warriors

TOKIO (AP)—A new army  
message assures Japanese sol-  
diers, immortality as a reward  
for death in battle.

The annual Army Day pam-  
phlet, to be issued on March 10  
carries this reassurance:  
"To die for the sake of the  
emperor and the fatherland is to  
live forever."

### BIG AREA STRICKEN

The stricken area extends  
from Ventura on the north to  
San Juan Capistrano on the south;  
from the ocean to the San  
Bernardino Mountains which  
divide southern California's  
coastal plain and the desert.

Flooded and washed out traffic  
arteries, and toppled utility lines  
isolated wide sections.

The seriousness of the flood  
situation led Mayor Frank L.  
Shaw of Los Angeles to mobilize  
the Major Emergency Council.

It was organized a year ago to  
cope with any major disaster in  
the metropolitan area and co-ordi-  
nate the work of peace officers,  
relief agencies, war veterans and  
the national guard.

Further north, in the Bell dis-  
trict, a falling power line pole  
crushed the Gage Avenue bridge  
over the river. Four persons  
were reported swept away.

#### BODIES SEEN

Bodies were reported seen in  
the river, where it curls around  
the edge of the Universal studio  
in San Fernando valley. The  
number was not established.

Hours later, the body of a 50-year-  
old woman was washed up on the  
river bank near Elysian Park.  
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### Woman Held For Espionage Trial

Mrs. Jessie Wallace in  
Custody at Dundee, Scot-  
land; Papers Seized

DUNDEE, Scotland (AP)—  
"Mrs. Jessie Wallace of Jordan,"  
middle-aged hairdresser, was  
remanded for a week today when  
she appeared in court on charges  
of violating the Official Secrets  
Act.

Police and a War Office official  
arrested the woman Wednesday  
night and took from her several  
documents. The London Daily  
Mail said the arrest was "the out-  
come of widespread inquiries on  
the continent and in the United  
States."

### Guerillas Take Toll Of Japanese Forces

#### ASSISTANT ENGINEER

TRAIL, B.C. (CP)—James  
Percy Coates of Nelson, B.C., has  
been appointed assistant city en-  
gineer of Trail. He fills the  
vacancy created by retirement re-  
cently of D. H. Bayley.

### THE WEATHER

VICTORIA, 5 a.m. today—Pressure re-  
mains low off Vancouver Island coast.  
The weather has been somewhat unsettled  
with light showers in southern British  
Columbia, but fair mild weather continues  
in northern districts. Temperature is  
moderate in Alberta, but it has been cold  
farther east.

Victoria—Barometer, 29.46; temperature,  
max. 48, min. 42, wind, 12 miles N. clear.  
Vancouver—Barometer, 29.46; tempera-  
ture, max. 48, min. 40; wind, 4 miles E.  
precip. 20; clear.

Prince Rupert—Barometer, 29.46; tem-  
perature, max. 52, min. 40; wind, 4 miles  
N.W.; precip. 27; raining.

San Francisco—Barometer, 29.66; tem-  
perature, max. 60, min. 46; wind, 4 miles  
S.W.; precip. 27; raining.

	Max.	Min.
Victoria	48	42
Nanaimo	48	42
Vancouver	48	40
New Westminster	48	40
Dawson	20	-2
Seattle	58	48
Portland	58	48
San Francisco	60	46
Kamloops	54	34
Prince George	50	38
Kelowna	50	34
Portland	58	48
Vernon	50	34
Grand Forks	48	32
Nelson	48	32
Calgary	48	32
Edmonton	24	-8
Prince Albert	12	-18
Moose Jaw	18	-12
Qu'Appelle	12	-4
Ottawa	48	24
Toronto	40	24
St. John	16	12
Halifax	32	12



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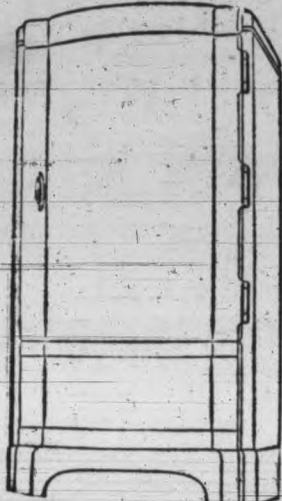
MAJESTIC	In splendid condition. Size, 4 cubic feet.	\$69.50
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### ANNOUNCEMENTS

Handel's Oratorio, "Judas Macabaeus," Metropolitan Church, Friday, March 11.

J. H. Le Page, Optician—New offices Bank of Toronto Building, 1405 Douglas Street. Business phone, E 1711; residence, E 3190.

Medical Aid for China—Please send your old cotton and linen and old clothes to 1426 Government Street daily, between 2 and 5. E 4725.

Paisley Cleaners and Dyers—We call and deliver. Phone G 3724.

St. Mary's Ladies' Guild—Rummage and superfluity sale, Tuesday, March 8, 2.30, St. Mary's Hall, Oak Bay. Articles collected. Phone Mrs. Blowers, E 1371.

The Chalet, Deep Cove, Chicken Dinners, Devonshire Teas. Phone Sidney, 82F.

Tonight, Victoria Musical Art Society, Empress Hotel, at 8.30. Eve Maxwell-Lyte in "Traditional Songs of Many Lands." Admission 50c.

Y.W.C.A. Current Affairs Group, Friday, March 4, 2.30 p.m. Speaker, Dr. Irene Hudson, "Impressions of the Orient."

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## End of Dominion Income Tax Urged

### Bandits Seize, Then Free, Five

Outlaws Flee From Portland  
After Robbery in Seattle

PORTLAND, Ore. (AP)—Two bandits kidnapped five persons at Seattle and Olympia today, brought them to Portland in a stolen automobile and apparently escaped toward the east.

The outlaws released Lloyd Warfield, Seattle garage attendant; Kenneth Meek, Seattle service station operator; Tom Jones and Mr. and Mrs. Art Jones at the municipal airport.

Tom Jones, who telephoned the story of robbery, gun battles and abductions to Deputy Sheriff E. R. Wallenstein, said the bandits stole a car and forced Warfield to drive it to Fourth and Spokane Streets in Seattle. There they forced Meek to get in after robbing his station of about \$50.

### AT HIGH SPEED

A Seattle police car followed them out of Seattle. One of the bandits smashed the rear window and fired. They exchanged shots with a state police car between Seattle and Tacoma, where the robbers' car reached 75 miles an hour.

The motor was disabled nine miles north of Olympia. The men halted a light truck driven by Art Jones, who was accompanied by his wife and brother.

Art Jones drove the overloaded truck to the airport where the victims were released. Police later found the truck abandoned at East 59th and Beech Streets here.

## LIBERAL PARTY MEETS IN FALL

Tentative Dates For  
Provincial Convention Sept.  
8 and 9 at Kelowna

KELOWNA (CP)—The 1938 annual convention of the British Columbia Liberal Association will be held in Kelowna, probably September 8 and 9, it was announced today by Dr. W. J. Knox, president of the association, on his return from the coast.

Thought the dates are not final, Dr. Knox, who conferred with Premier Pattullo and members of the provincial cabinet on the coast, believed September 8 and 9 would be chosen.

It will be the first time the Okanagan has ever been host to the convention. Previously conventions were held at Kamloops and Nelson in the interior but never before in this district.

It will be the biggest convention ever to come to this apple-growing centre, with between 500 and 600 delegates expected.

## Peace Urged On Austria Nazis

Group Admonished to Follow  
Legal Course in Nazifying  
Country

VIENNA (AP)—Austria's Hitler-approved Minister of the Interior, Arthur Seyss-Inquart, urged Nazis today to work peacefully and legally for nazification of the country. Violence must be avoided, he admonished.

Rather than insist now on recognition as members of a legal political party, Seyss-Inquart advised the Nazis to work for their program within the framework of the Fatherland Front—the only political group acknowledged by Chancellor Kurt von Schuschnigg.

### Hepburn Says Ontario Could Pay All Own Relief If Field Cleared

TORONTO (CP)—Premier Hepburn announced at a press conference today he would introduce a resolution in the Ontario Legislature shortly asking the house to support a request that the Dominion Government abandon the field of personal income tax. He said the resolution was being prepared, but did not say when it would be introduced.

Should the legislature pass the resolution, Mr. Hepburn said it would strengthen Ontario's case to be presented to the Royal Commission on Dominion-Provincial Relations.

If Ontario had sole use of the income tax privileges, he said, instead of sharing it with the Dominion as at present, the province could take care of its own relief costs and increase subsidies to municipalities.

### NO PAYMENTS

Charging the federal government with taking an "arbitrary and callous" attitude on the relief question, the Premier said that because Ontario refused to sign "an obnoxious agreement" calling for payment to the province of \$465,000 a month for relief, the Dominion had not paid Ontario anything in the last two months.

## Alberta Urges Jobless Leave

Wants Newcomers From  
Port Arthur to Go Back  
to Ontario

EDMONTON (CP)—An investigation is being made by the Alberta government into the influx of unemployed men from Port Arthur, Ont., government officials announced here today.

Hon. W. W. Cross, Minister of Health and Relief, said he proposed to bring reports of the alleged dumping before a cabinet meeting today to discuss what representations should be made concerning removal of the newcomers from the province.

Indignant over the action of whoever was responsible for the men being shipped into Alberta, Dr. Cross said it was "clearly the responsibility of the Ontario government or someone else to take the men back to where they have been making their homes."

Dr. Cross stated the new arrivals were being supplied with relief by the province as they were not regarded in any sense as Alberta charges.

### CAME FROM MILL

PORT ARTHUR, Ont. (CP)—Port Arthur city officials today announced 71 of 124 jobless received railway tickets for westward journeys when they poured into Port Arthur after the Lake Sulphite Company had closed its Red Rock plant.

Relief officials could not explain how nearly 20 jobless, claiming mostly to be from Port Arthur, had flooded Calgary during the last few days. Railway tickets given the men were divided 53 east and 71 west, with the men giving 18 places in the west as their homes and the same number in the east.

The British Columbia Relief department said today that if the men drifting west from Port Arthur come to British Columbia they cannot expect government relief.

The department, it was stated, has already protested to federal authorities the action of Ontario in sending the men west. The viewpoint here is that caring for the men is a federal matter.

"If any of them have homes in British Columbia, of course they could get ordinary single men's relief," said a department spokesman, "but our understanding is that few, if any, are British Columbians."

## British Capital For Island Mill

VANCOUVER (CP)—United Kingdom financiers are prepared to invest in British Columbia industry on a large scale as soon as markets become more settled, according to A. E. McMaster, managing director of Nootka Wood Products Limited.

Mr. McMaster said adequate financing had been obtained in England for making necessary extensions to his company's sawmill at Port Tassie, on the west coast of Vancouver Island, to make it a completely equipped lumber producing unit.

He also reported progress in negotiations for establishment of a rayon pulp mill. He said the money for the project could be obtained from England as soon as pulp and other markets show improvement.

## Australia Aids European Talks

CANBERRA (AP)—Australia will support the Anglo-Italian friendship talks, Prime Minister Joseph A. Lyons announced today.

The decision was made, the Prime Minister said, after he had received special assurances from Prime Minister Chamberlain that the United Kingdom adhered to the foreign policy enunciated at the Imperial Conference in London last year, involving support of the League of Nations and collective security.

The Australian Prime Minister said he therefore rejected an opposition demand that the Australian Parliament be summoned in special session to discuss the failure of London to consult the Dominions on the matter.

### QUESTIONS IN LONDON

LONDON (CP)—Commander Reginald Fletcher, Labor, served notice today he would ask Prime Minister Chamberlain in the House of Commons next Monday if the Dominion governments were consulted before the Anglo-Italian conversations were initiated.

He will also inquire whether it would be right to assume no undertakings concerning the Mediterranean will be finally entered into without assent of the Dominion governments.

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## TWO SOLDIERS HELD FOR TRIAL

STRATFORD, Eng. (CP)—Andrew Vanderburg, 37, understood to be a Canadian, and a youth under 17 whose name was withheld were in custody today jointly charged with shooting Policemen Cecil Rackham, George Hemley, Frederick Ground and Elliott Piller with intent to murder at Ripple Road, Barking, Tuesday.

Vanderburg and the youth, troopers of the 17th Lancers stationed at Tidworth, Wiltshire, were further charged with possession of revolvers.

## BIG U.S. NAVY PLANS VOTED

Expansion Programme Approved By Committee and Sent to House

WASHINGTON (AP)—The House of Representatives naval affairs committee approved legislation today to authorize a \$1,113,546,000 expansion of the United States navy.

Chairman Vinson announced the committee had voted 20 to 3, in favor of the bill. Before acting finally on the measure, which would add 46 combatant ships to the fleet, 22 auxiliary vessels and 950 planes, the committee adopted an amendment by Mr. Vinson declaring

a policy of nonaggression for the navy.

Naval experts were speculating today on the development of a new type of "pocket battleship" as a possible result of the London conversations among representatives of the United States, Great Britain and France.

Bulking somewhere between 10,000 and 17,500 tons, the new craft would be a reply to Japan's secret warship building, particularly as it relates to Britain's defence of her Oriental and south Pacific possessions.

Any super-cruisers projected in the U.S. would be apart from the new types considered even more certain to be made a part of this nation's fleet expansion program. These are battleships of 42,000 or more tons, the largest ever built, and fast experimental coast patrol boats.

### TRAIN WRECK DEATH

JAEGER, W.Va. (AP)—A boiler, loosened by rains, derailed the locomotive and six loaded coal cars of a Norfolk and Western train early today, killing the engineer and injuring slightly two members of the train crew.



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## CALIFORNIA FLOOD DEATHS REPORTED BE 124

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Five motorists were believed drowned at Riverside when their cars were engulfed by the rising Santa Ana river.

A wall of water rushing down Lytle Creek near San Bernardino claimed the lives of three men, a woman and a boy.

Landslides and floods caused other deaths in southern counties. Northern and central California also felt the effects of the storm, but conditions there were not so serious.

### PAJARO OVERFLOWS

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## DENIAL BY DE LLANO

LONDON (CP-Havas)—A formal denial of reports General Gonzalo Queipo de Llano, insurgent commander in Southern Spain, said "Gibraltar is a den of pirates but fortunately it will not be for long" was delivered at the Foreign Office Wednesday by the Duke of Alba, representative here of General Franco, the insurgent leader.

## SMOKER LOSES LIFE

SEATTLE (AP)—Falling asleep apparently while smoking a cigarette in bed, Fred Bonar, 42, automobile mechanic, was fatally burned early today in his shack home.

# THREE MEN IN CANCER TEST

## Vancouver Doctor Adds Patient to Two Given Radium-treated Blood

VANCOUVER (CP)—A third cancer sufferer today pinned his hopes for recovery on radium-soaked blood injected into his veins by a Vancouver doctor.

The Physician—who has declined to allow his name to be used—said the third patient, like the first he treated three weeks ago, was suffering from cancer of the stomach. The second was suffering from teratoma, described as "a very virulent form" of the disease.

In the form of treatment being used, radium is immersed for 20 hours in a pint of blood from a healthy donor. Then the blood is injected into veins of the patient like an ordinary transfusion.

The doctor said the first and third men he treated were "greatly improved." The second showed no change.

# Spies at Dinner Japanese Say

TOKIO (AP)—Japan's perennial spy care extended to the dinner table with published warnings for Japanese to watch what they tell foreigners between morsels. The influential Tokyo newspaper Nichi Nichi declared in a prominently displayed article that Japan was honeycombed by an international spy network using a powerful new weapon—food.

Foreigners, said the Nichi Nichi, were inviting Japanese to dinner and then worming weighty information from them.

## FORMER VICTORIAN DIES

PORT ALBERNI—G. A. D. Flitton, prominent hardware merchant of this city since 1930, died in hospital here yesterday afternoon following a heart attack. He was born in England 60 years ago and was in business in Victoria for two or three years prior to coming to Port Alberni. Surviving are a widow, one daughter and three sons.

# SIDE GLANCES By George Clark



"Harvey says he doesn't want to become an executive—I say he does!"

# Fascist Threat In Quebec Denied

## Premier Duplessis Attacks U.S. For Rumors; Tells of Machine Guns

QUEBEC (CP)—Quebec is "in no danger from Fascism and never will be," Premier Maurice Duplessis said in the Legislative Assembly Wednesday as he announced what he called "a campaign in the United States directed against the province of Quebec."

He spoke after Cleophas Bastien, Liberal, Berthier, had said United States newspapers were "giving the province very bad publicity regarding the growth of Fascism."

The opposition member said the newspaper reports had warned the provincial administration that the movement was spreading in this province, and "seems to have the approval of the premier."

"I would say to United States newspapers and to Americans to start cleaning up their own home before trying to dirty a house as clean as the province of Quebec," Mr. Duplessis replied.

The Premier said Quebec would never have lynching and "scandalous kidnappings" such as were carried out in the United States, and "if such conditions had prevailed here, competent authority would have intervened."

Talk of Fascism in Quebec, he said, was part of a "clever" campaign by the Communists.

Discussion started while the Legislative Assembly, studying the estimates, was examining a \$5,000 grant to the Attorney-General's department to prevent fraud in connection with public sale of company stock.

## MACHINE GUNS

Premier Duplessis, promising the department would intervene whenever its attention was brought to sales of worthless stock in any part of the province, mentioned casually that Quebec provincial police were ready to do their duty when abuses occurred, and that, by the way, they were "the only police in Canada armed with harmless machine guns—machine guns shooting tear gas."

"Are you preparing for war?" asked Mr. Bastien.

The Premier replied the provincial police had been reorganized and during the reorganization had been provided with the latest equipment "to help them carry out their duty of protecting public life and property."

He added the equipment had cost about \$37,000, "but will save thousands of dollars in lives saved."

"Why did the Premier buy nearly \$40,000 worth of machine guns?" asked the Berthier member. "On whom will he use them?"

"Is it an evil to spend \$37,000 to protect our people?" the Premier questioned.

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# M.P. Asks About Disallowance

OTTAWA (CP)—Copies of petitions, correspondence and other documents relating to the federal government's disallowance of Alberta legislation last August, and to reservation for the pleasure of the Governor-General of three subsequent measures passed by the Alberta Legislature, are sought in a motion by M. J. Coldwell, C.C.F., Rose-town-Biggan, Sask., of which notice was given Wednesday in the House of Commons votes and proceedings.

# Check-up Of Japanese in B.C.

## Hon. I. Mackenzie Says Board Will Study Illegal Entry Cases

VANCOUVER (CP)—Any person in British Columbia who has proof that Japanese have illegally entered Canada, or knowledge leading to such proof will have an opportunity of supplying that information to a board of review shortly, according to Defence Minister Ian Mackenzie.

"It is foolish to say we are not conversant with the problem," the minister, who arrived here Wednesday for a one-day personal visit, told interviewers. "Of course we are. But we have other responsibilities affecting the welfare of British Columbia and Canada which I need not mention but which are obvious."

"In the present condition of the world," the Defence Minister continued, "our greatest responsibility is to preserve peace in Canada."

# IMMEDIATE ACTION

The Dominion Government proposed to deal with the question immediately by:

1. Authorizing an interdepartmental committee consisting of representatives of immigration, justice, national defence, labor, fisheries, statistics and external affairs to re-examine the entire situation and report to the government at an early date.
2. Appointing a board of review, composed of representatives of immigration, Royal Canadian Mounted Police and external affairs to carry on an inquiry in British Columbia.

The board would not hold public meetings, Mr. Mackenzie said, but would be prepared to receive representations from any persons claiming to have information regarding the illegal entry, anyone having such information would be invited to present it.

A special detail would be assigned by the R.C.M.P. to work in collaboration with the board to carry out a thorough check-up, Mr. Mackenzie continued.

The board of review's report would be given immediate attention by the government, the Defence Minister said, and any person found to have entered Canada illegally would be deported.

Future action would be determined by the result of these investigations.

The minister will leave tonight en route east, and will stop for a single speech in the East Edmonton federal by-election campaign.

# Wheat Marketings Show Increase

OTTAWA (CP)—Canadian wheat in store for the week ended February 25 decreased 1,331,040 bushels compared with the previous week and 43,608,550 with the corresponding week in 1937, according to the Dominion Bureau of Statistics.

The amount in store was reported at 47,547,504 bushels against 48,878,544 the previous week and 91,156,060 for the week ended February 26, 1937.

Wheat marketings in the prairie provinces during the week ended February 25 amounted to 715,601 bushels, an increase of 235,027 over the previous week. Receipts a year ago were 948,834 bushels.

# Hearst Plans To Sell Art Objects

NEW YORK (AP)—A decision by William Randolph Hearst to disperse about \$15,000,000 worth of his great art collection—about two-thirds of it—was announced Wednesday.

The 74-year-old publisher, associates said, planned to break up the vast collection by sale and gift to cut down inheritance taxes.

Joseph V. Connolly, president of King Features, a Hearst enterprise, explained:

"It is his intention to leave many to his family, to give liberally of them to museums and to sell a considerable part, in which case his family will have to pay inheritance taxes only on about \$5,000,000 of art objects. That will be burden enough."

# NEW HOSPITAL FOR ISLAND

## Red Cross Will Establish Outpost at Banfield and Two Others in Peace

VANCOUVER (CP)—Two new outpost hospitals at Hudson Hope in the Peace River area and at the Banfield cable station, on the west coast of Vancouver Island, will be established by the Canadian Red Cross Society, British Columbia division.

Dr. George A. Lamont told the annual meeting of the society here Wednesday night that success of the organization's three outpost hospitals now operating in the province had prompted the establishment of the new bases.

If finances, which would probably include a grant from the provincial government, were forthcoming, Dr. Lamont said he believed the new hospitals would be operating during the last six months of this year.

Thirty-five delegates heard Col. John S. Tait, re-elected president for the third consecutive term, commend the society's work in the establishment of outpost hospitals.

Provincial Commissioner Hugh M. Birch-Jones told the delegates that new branches of the society had been established at Duncan, Chilliwack, Trull, Nelson and McBride.

# VANCOUVER MAN HURT IN BLAST

VANCOUVER (CP)—Frank Guest, employee of the Electric Sales Equipment Company, was in a hospital today with burns about the head and face as the result of an explosion and fire yesterday which damaged the company's premises.

Police said they believed the explosion, which knocked Guest to the floor and blew out a window of the building, had been caused by gas which seeped into the building from an opened tank outside.

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# Ethiopia Questions In Commons at Ottawa

OTTAWA (CP)—Two Canadians were known to have been killed in Ethiopia during the Italo-Abyssinian war, Prime Minister King told Rev. Ernest G. Hansell, Social Credit, Macleod, Alta., in the House of Commons Wednesday afternoon.

Certain Canadian properties in Ethiopia had been taken over by the Italian government and as compensation the Sudan Interior Mission had agreed to accept \$60,000, he said.

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Dr. Chase's Kidney and Liver Pills, 29¢  
Johnson's Gilt-Coat, 59¢  
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The Welsh Cymmodorion Society held a dinner at the Ritz Hotel in honor of St. David's Day on Saturday evening.

It is rumored around town today that the B.C.E.R. Company has leased its property at the Gorge Park to a syndicate which will build a great pleasure resort there, along the lines of such resorts as Coney Island.

### TREACHEROUS PROPAGANDA

To the Editor:—There appeared recently a letter signed C. Brandel, Canadian Union of Fascism, Toronto, in answer to my letter of September 10, claiming the workers in all Fascist countries have made wonderful strides in the improvements of their conditions compared to democratic countries.

Mussolini has been in power around 16 years and while he too, like all Fascist, promised a change of the system if elected, we find, in spite of all promises made, capitalism in the national corporate state is still carried on in its most brutal form, like all dictators, whether Fascist or Communist, in the name of liberty they destroy all opposition. We must bear in mind, it is not the form of government which the workers must blame for all their troubles, but the system of society from which that form springs; in other words, so long as we have capitalism we must have capitalist conditions, unemployment and poverty, with the standard

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class are learning to dispense with even the modest luxury; the artisans and agriculture population are much the lowest paid in Europe, and are compelled to forego simple necessities like butter and meat because of the scarcity and the price. Mussolini has reduced the masses of its people to a subsistence level comparable in squalor and monotony to the standard of Asia.

Recently we find Hitler appealing for aid for the relief of the unemployed. He has a compulsory-voluntary scheme (?) whereby everyone is compelled one day each month to exist on only one meal; the other two has to be turned over to the state, in the form of money, food or clothing, and, in addition, meat and fats are almost unobtainable, with an appeal to eat more potatoes to save bread. This, in addition to the concentration camps for all opponents, one could continue to cite conditions of poverty and misery in these Fascist countries, but space forbids.

All Fascist parties in the world seem very bitter against the poor Jew. Is it not a fact that when Hitler came into power the Jews in Germany were 400,000, which is less than 1 per cent of the population. In spite of this seemingly bitterness we find Mussolini employs Jews as his ministers. Mosley also attacks Jews, yet we find one of his bodyguards is a Jew—Kid Lewis the boxer. To me this is merely a political cloak (or shirt) under which individuals can promote vendettas and commercial rivalries against the Jew.

Mr. Brandel states Fascism is as much opposed to trusts, chains and monopolies, as is the Marxian formulae. This is pure propaganda of the most deceptive kind. Everyone knows that trusts, etc., are as much the order of the day in both Fascist countries, as in the democratic countries. Did not the large industrialists finance both Hitler and Mussolini to get into power? And is not the same assistance



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### OIL PRODUCTION

CALGARY (CP)—Alberta Oil Production reached a new peak in January with an output of 444,196 barrels, according to a report issued by the petroleum and natural gas division of the Department of Lands and Mines today.

The record January production compared with 394,893 barrels produced in December, the high producing month of 1937, and

class is rapidly disappearing into the ranks of the proletariat, and finally to join the ranks of the unemployed.

Mr. Brandel claims Fascism is Socialism. How can this be so, seeing they intend to maintain the private ownership of the means of production. Again, they are adopting the tactics of the various reform parties, who for years have been misleading the workers into believing that municipal ownership of trams or gasworks, public ownership of railways, or state capitalism, is Socialism. On the contrary it is the policy of these reformists that is retarding the coming of Socialism.

Socialism means the common ownership of the means of pro-

being given to Mosley today? Also the British industrialists are working in harmony with those in Germany and Italy to supply France with money and munitions with which to overthrow the elected government of Spain. How can the standard of living be raised in such countries where all the surplus value possible is invested in order to pile up more and more armaments for destruction?

Mr. Brandel claims that while Fascism would raise the workers to the level of the middle class, Marx would level everyone down to the proletariat. Both of these statements are in contradiction to facts. It may be that it is a lack of understanding, but I am inclined to believe it is deliberate



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### Kay Francis Will Marry Baron

HOLLYWOOD, Calif. (AP)—Kay Francis, screen star, said today she plans to marry Baron Raven Erik Barnekow, in whose company she has been seen frequently the last three months. The marriage will be Miss Francis's fifth.

### Analyzes Platform Mien

Mrs. Alfred Watt, formerly of Victoria and now president of the Associated Countrywomen of the World, in London recently gave an interesting analysis of the platform manners of women speakers of various countries.

Mrs. Watt considers that one of the most beautiful speakers in the world is a Jewess talking Hebrew, and she regards the Indian woman speaker as an orator. Here are some of her opinions of other women speakers:

Englishwoman—"A clear and precise, if cold mode of speech. Does not speak unless she has something to say. Has the advantage of a voice with a beautiful tone, pleasant modulations and distinct enunciation. Apt to use clichés and conform to type."

Scotswoman—"When they forget that they are Scots, they are interesting speakers, with an engaging accent. They can use both humor and pathos to advantage. Jokes against themselves always delight audiences. They are very emotional, but not lacking in calm self-assurance."

Weishwoman—"They have a delightful manner, and all the resources of rhetoric are theirs. They are usually internationally minded."

Irishwoman—"Irish women do not need to learn to speak—they can get away with anything. They can say things with which audiences profoundly disagree, yet shriek for more. I should not like to risk a tilt with an Irishwoman in public—the audience would be with her. How wise of Mr. Chamberlain to chat with Mr. de Valera in private."

Australia Women—"They speak in a narrative form, use considerable emotion, but are apt to repeat themselves. They are very anxious to speak well, and treat subjects conscientiously."

Canadian Woman—"Often lack grace and diction, but seem to have a personal charm which gets them a ready hearing. They are very nervous speakers, and would benefit from training in public speaking."

New Zealand and South African Women—"They have excellent delivery and method. Their vocabulary is rather limited, but they speak simply and naturally."

Frenchwomen—"They are devastatingly polite and decisive, jerky in method of speech but self-possessed."

American Women—"They are not afraid to be original and personal, and are usually amusing. They have a directness of utterance and a quality of unexpectedness which arouses interest at once. Many of them are much more wordy than they need to be."

German Women—"Their speeches are well prepared and exhaustive—sometimes exhausting. They take themselves very seriously."

### V.D. Control Is Described To Nurses

B.C. Taking Steps To Fight "Social" Diseases

Miss Ursula Whitehead, provincial supervisor of social service for the division of venereal disease control, Provincial Board of Health, was the guest speaker at a meeting of the Victoria Graduate Nurses' Association on Tuesday evening.

Miss Whitehead in her address outlined the development of venereal disease control in Canada, with particular emphasis on the recent developments in this province. She pointed out that since the inception of the division in October, 1936, British Columbia had climbed to third place from eighth place in the Dominion as regards the number of clinics available for the treatment of syphilis and gonorrhea. This province now has two fulltime clinics and 10 part-time clinics operating on standards of service second to none on the continent.

The provincial social service programme of this division was inaugurated in October, 1936, to aid the public in overcoming any obstacles which might stand in the way of their receiving examination and treatment for these two particular infections, she said, and its policy was based on the principles of venereal disease control practiced in Scandinavian countries with great success in recent years.

The first of these principles was applied in the social service of "case-finding," that is the searching for and reporting of all cases by number to a confidential central office as is the case with other communicable infections. The second was that all patients must remain under treatment until cured. This principle was demonstrated in "attendance control," that is the successful persuading of all patients to co-operate in faking treatment.

The third was that of protection of the community by isolation of infectious patients and the teaching of good personal hygiene, she continued. The fourth principle was that of education, namely of patients, professional workers and the public. The last of these five principles was that of rehabilitation, which consisted of teaching the patient to overcome the social handicap of a venereal infection and to continue a normal life as a self-supporting citizen whenever possible.

In conclusion Miss Whitehead stated that during the 17 months in which the division of venereal disease control had been operating, great advancements had been made, and it was expected that this same degree of success would continue.

### Donation Party Well Attended

The annual donation party under the auspices of the Christ Church Cathedral W.A., senior branch, held at Bishop's Close on Shrove Tuesday, was very successful and enjoyable. The honorary president, Mrs. H. E. Sexton, and the president, Mrs. M. W. Mackenzie, received the guests. Many visitors and members attended.

Tea, served in the dining-room, was most capably conveyed by Mrs. J. Wriglesworth and Mrs. Claud Gardner, assisted by Mesdames Ashton, Dale, Johnston, Caldwell, Watson, P. J. Hopkins and the Misses Altonby Wollaston. The home-cooking staff did well in charge of Mrs. Jennings and Mrs. Macey, assisted by Mrs. Finlison.

The musical program and vocal solos by Miss Nora Jones were much appreciated.

### Prairie Girl's Varied Career

REGINA (CP)—A young Canadian girl, Calais Frances Calvert, who recently received a scholarship from Columbia University, Graduate School of Journalism, has had an unusual career.

She is the daughter of George Calvert, Estevan, Sask., business man. After graduating from Estevan collegiate, Regina College, and a Saskatoon business college, she went to England and worked for Imperial Airways.

Later she worked in Jerusalem and while there traveled thousands of miles on her motor bike visiting and writing about places of Biblical interest.

Last year she enrolled at Columbia University. Upon graduation this spring she plans to return to Europe to do newspaper work.

### GIVEN DIVORCE

LOS ANGELES (AP)—Mrs. Marion Macke Lawler, former wife of the late Charles Mack of the "Two Black Crows" comedy team, obtained a divorce yesterday from Leslie Lawler, wealthy oil man.

### Canadian-born Peer in B.W.I.



Viscount and Viscountess Greenwood, photographed on the spot at the Constant Spring Hotel, Jamaica, B.W.I., where they first met 31 years ago. In the picture (left to right) are Viscountess Greenwood, F. H. Robertson, chairman of the Jamaica Tourist Trade Development Board, who greeted the peer and his wife, Henry Hewer, manager of the Constant Spring Hotel, and Viscount Greenwood, who, it will be recalled, was born in Whitby, Ont., and graduated from the University of Toronto.

## Society

His Honor the Lieutenant Governor entertained at luncheon at Government House today, when his guests included the following civic officials: Mayor Andrew McGavin, Aldermen J. Adam, W. H. Davies, R. A. C. Dewar, B. J. Gadsden, W. L. Morgan, S. H. Okell, A. Peden, E. Williams, H. A. Wills and J. A. Worthington, Magistrate H. C. Hall, Assistant Commissioner T. W. S. Parsons, Chief of Police J. A. McLean, Fire Chief A. Munro, Dr. Richard Felton, Messrs. M. F. Hunter, J. Baxter, H. S. Pringle, D. A. Macdonald, G. M. Irwin, H. Whitaker, Col. H. Allan, Commander C. T. Beard, Mr. E. W. McMullen, Mr. A. M. D. Fairbairn and Capt. Cromack. Spring flowers formed the lovely decoration of the table.

At the Spring Flower tea at the Empress Hotel on Saturday afternoon Mr. Dudley Wickett, popular tenor, will sing "O Mistress Mine" (Quilter), "To Be Near Thee" (Rosa), "Hatfield Bells" (Martin), "You Will Remember Vienna" (Romberg), "Take a Pair of Sparkling Eyes" (Sullivan), and "O No, John," folk song.

The engagement is announced of Winnifred (Freda) Spouse, youngest daughter of Mr. T. W. Spouse of Albernia and the late Mrs. Spouse of Victoria, to Mr. George Anderson, only son of Mr. and Mrs. John Anderson, Vancouver. The wedding to take place quietly in Vancouver on April 9 at 8 p.m. at All Saints' Church.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur J. Ross of Vancouver are coming over to Victoria shortly to make their home. Mrs. Ross, who is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Crump of Beach Drive, Oak Bay, has been much feted by Vancouver hostesses on the eve of her departure. Mrs. John Moore Jr. entertained at tea for her on Monday at Point Grey Golf Club, and Mrs. J. G. Nickerson was hostess at a buffet supper for her on Tuesday.

Mrs. J. S. Roddick of 342 Michigan Street, celebrated her 80th birthday on Monday and in honor of the occasion a number of friends gathered at her home to wish her many happy returns of the day. Among them were her daughter, Mrs. Jean Johnson of Calgary, Mrs. Ellis and Miss Ellis of Calgary, Mrs. Forsyth, Mrs. Betty Forsyth, Mrs. L. McCullough and Mrs. R. D. McCullough. Numerous friends also called during the day to offer their best wishes.

Off for the Old Country in the Canadian Pacific liner Duchess of York sailing from Saint John on March 11, will be 12 British Columbians. They include Mr. J. R. J. Stirling, Kelowna; Miss M. E. Frost and Mrs. A. L. B. Taylor, Victoria; Mrs. H. R. Parker, Nanaimo; Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Lloyd, Powell River; Mr. Francis Feeley, New Westminster; George S. Wright, Duncan; Mr. R. H. Johnston, Miss B. Faust, Miss Margaret McDonald, Mrs. H. S. Beasley, all from Vancouver.

The W.A. to St. Paul's Naval and Garrison Church held a very successful silver tea at the home of Major and Mrs. Maurice W. Turner, Esquimalt Road, yesterday afternoon, between 50 and 60 guests being present. Mrs. J. Kennedy and Mrs. Gerald Sedger poured tea, assisted by Miss Ruth Harvington. Mrs. M. Turner, assisted by the president, Mrs. H. C. Silburn, and Mrs. A. Bischofberger, received the guests. Mrs. L. Batchelor sang several solos in her charming style, accompanied by Miss Dorothy McVie, and Mrs. B. Derry and Miss Dorothy McVie contributed piano solos. The next business meeting will take place next Tuesday at St. Paul's Guild room at 2.30.

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## Weddings

GANDY—COLLINS

Rev. Father J. A. Gaudette solemnized the marriage of Eileen, second daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Collins, and Ernest H. Gandy, son of the late Mr. Gandy and Mrs. Mary Gandy, at the Bishop's Palace Tuesday afternoon.

The bride, given in marriage by her brother, Mr. Carbery Collins, wore a French blue dress, with an American broadtail coat, blue hat and accessories, and a corsage bouquet of Ophelia roses. Her sister, Mrs. D. Whitney was her attendant, and Mr. Douglas Morley best man.

After a honeymoon in the Sound cities, Mr. and Mrs. Gandy will make their home at 48 Menzies Street.

### FIRST UNITED Y.P.S.

The regular meeting of First United Young People's Society was held Monday evening. The meeting was opened with a short business session, followed by a devotional period conducted by Miss Winnie Graham, assisted by Miss Ruth Barclay.

Rev. J. E. Bell gave a very interesting talk about his visit to Father Divine's "Heaven" in New York, and told of his interview with Father Divine. The meeting closed with the singing of "Abide With Me."

The Victoria Women's Institute will hold a social on Friday afternoon with a fine musical program. Afternoon tea will be served.

## Women's Clubs

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#### TOMATO SOUP

##### Creole Sauce

Melt one tablespoon butter and in it fry, until tender, one tablespoon minced onion and one green pepper finely minced. Add a tin of Royal City Tomato Soup and three or four tablespoons water; flavor with salt and cayenne pepper and simmer five to ten minutes. Very quickly and easily made, and an excellent accompaniment for fish and meat dishes.

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## News of Clubwomen

At the business meeting of the Hawthorne Circle of King's Daughters, held last night in the rest room, plans were made for a home cooking stall on Saturday morning at Spencer's, under the convenship of Mrs. A. Alexander and Miss Kathleen Roberts.

The regular meeting of the Junior W.B.A. Rose Court was held recently in the Women's Institute rooms on Fort Street, in the chair. The mystery box was won by Thelma Gaetz. The next meeting will be held on Saturday, March 12, at 3 p.m.

The First Spiritualist Church will have a silver tea tomorrow afternoon in the Sons of England Hall, 1216 Broad Street, from 2.30 until 5. The readers will be Rev. W. L. Holder, crystal readings; Mrs. T. Allan and Mrs. J. Malowes, teacups. The hostesses will be Mrs. E. Fanthorpe and Mrs. J. Muir.

The W.M.S. of St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church held its February meeting on Monday afternoon, Mrs. Abbott, president, conducting the meeting. The Scripture lesson was read by Miss F. White and Mrs. A. A. McKinnon led in prayer. Mrs. A. W. Stokes, accompanied by Mrs. Grace Dea-ville, sang a solo. The guest speaker was Miss P. B. Lamont, field secretary of the W.M.S., who gave an inspiring address on "Responsibilities of Membership."

The Victoria subdivision held a most successful social day on Tuesday in the new parish hall, with a tea and sale of home cooking in the afternoon, and a bridge party in the evening. The hall was attractively decorated with pussy willows and evergreens, and on the tea table yellow daffodils and blue tapers reflected the League colors of blue and gold. In the evening 17 tables were in play. The prizes were won as follows: Contract, Mrs. P. H. Shaw; auction, Mrs. Meiss; 500, Miss Ruth Windau. Mrs. A. F. Windau was the general convener, assisted by an able committee, including Mesdames Gillis, J. J. O'Brien, Hornsby, Haley and Danes and Miss Battle.

At the regular monthly meeting of the Catholic Women's League held in the new parish hall last evening, the members were reminded of the annual St. Patrick's Day concert which is being held in the Empire Theatre March 17 in aid of St. Louis College, also of the linen show being held at St. Joseph's Hospital March 19. Mrs. Lennax and Mrs. Humphries gave accounts of their hospital visiting, and they will visit again during March. Miss Clay reported on the splendid progress being

made in the study clubs, which in future will include dramatics, handicrafts and any subjects of interest to the members. The members paid tribute to the late Mrs. C. Spofford, and the sympathy of the League was tendered her relatives. Plans for a bridge party in aid of St. Louis College were discussed, the date to be announced later.

### OBYPA

The Oak Bay young people held their weekly meeting on Tuesday evening, the program being entitled "Will Tell, Do Tell, and Pray Tell." The evening opened with a short worship period in charge of Nancy Boyd. President Bert Simpson announced that next week's program will be "Ice Work, If We Can Get It." This was followed by a sing-song, after which Peggy Watson read the story of William Tell.

A comedy play titled "Bill Tell" was presented by Grace Cook, Ken Wilson, Harold Benson, Lindsay Alexander, Jim Grist, Stan Mill, Ray Hollins, Ken Beattie and Vernon Gilson. Gramophone records of the William Tell overture were played. A recreation period in charge of Nancy Hepburn was enjoyed.

The evening came to a close with the singing of "Abide With Me."

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SIRLOIN STEAK, per lb.	18¢
MUTTON STEW, per lb.	8¢
BOILING CHICKEN, per lb.	22¢
SHOULDER MUTTON, per lb.	10¢
ROUND STEAK, per lb.	15¢
BEEF SHANKS, per lb.	7¢
LAMB SHOULDERS, per lb.	15¢
BONELESS CORNED BEEF, per lb.	15¢
RIB ROASTS, per lb.	18¢
ROLLED LAMB SHOULDERS, per lb.	22¢
ROASTING CHICKEN, per lb.	30¢

**PORK AND BEANS**  
16-oz. tins  
3 tins 15¢

**JELLY POWDERS**  
2 for 5¢

**Bacon Specials**  
Sliced Side Bacon, lb. 29¢  
Whole or half piece, lb. 28¢  
Sliced Back Bacon, lb. 32¢  
Whole or half piece, lb. 29¢  
Smoked Picnic Shoulders, lb. 19¢  
Smoked Butts, lb. 23¢  
Ayrshire Bacon, lb. 23¢

**Fish Specials**  
Fresh Cod, lb. 9¢  
Whiting Fillets, 2 lbs. 25¢  
Dressed Soles, 2 lbs. 25¢  
Fresh Cod Fillets, 2 lbs. 25¢  
Fresh Oulchans, lb. 20¢  
Smoked Whiting, lb. 11¢  
Fresh Kippers, 2 lbs. 25¢

**OXYDOL CHIPSO**  
18¢ 1 lb. pkt.

**My-Te-Fine Soap Flakes**  
9¢ 1 lb. pkt.

**FRUIT DEPT.**  
FRESH NO. 1 RHUBARB 3 lbs. 9¢  
LARGE ORANGES per doz. 17¢ 3 doz. 50¢  
SUNKIST LEMONS, doz. 17¢  
Large FALESTINE GRAPEFRUIT 4 for 25¢  
LARGE LETTUCE, 2 for 13¢

**ROBIN HOOD OATS**  
17¢ 1 lb. pkt.

**ROGERS' SYRUP**  
12¢ 2-lb. tin

**SPECIALS**  
KRUSCHEN SALTS, giant size 69¢  
PURE RUSSIAN MINERAL OIL, 16-oz. bottle, Special 35¢  
BEECHAM'S PILLS, 50s size, Special 39¢  
A.S.A. TABLETS, bottle of 100, Special 29¢  
DR. LYON'S TOOTH POWDER, 4-oz. tin, Special 39¢

**Pancake FLOUR**  
11¢ 1 lb. pkt.

**FEACHES, tin**  
APRICOTS, tin  
FANCY PINK SALMON, tall tin  
TOMATOES, 2 1/2 tin  
English WORCESTER SAUCE, bottle  
POLSKA GRAPE FRUIT JUICE, tin  
MARMALADE, 9-oz. jar

**10¢**

**Nabob Marmalade**  
35¢ 4-lb. tin

**Butter**  
First grade 3 lbs. \$1.15  
Mild, lb. 20¢  
Medium, lb. 21¢  
Grade A Large, doz. 28¢  
Grade A Med., doz. 27¢  
Grade A Pallets, doz. 26¢

**Braid's Lanka Tea**  
34¢ lb. limit 2

**EGGS**  
35¢ 4-lb. tin

## Stork Derby Winners' Plans

Toronto Mothers Not Counting On Spending Orgy

TORONTO (CP)—The four mothers declared eligible for participation in the Millar will derby purse have no immediate plans to go on a spending orgy.

Mrs. Katharine Ellen Nagle, Mrs. Lucy Alice Timleck, Mrs. Annie Katharine Smith and Mrs. Isabel Mary McLean are the four who have been found legitimate candidates for the \$500,000 prize money. However, claims of two others to a share of the fortune are still in the hands of the court.

"The first thing is to get in a house which will accommodate us all," said Mrs. Nagle, mother of nine children born in Toronto during the 10-year period stipulated in the will of the late Charles Millar. A prominent lawyer and sportsman, Millar left the half-million dollars to the Toronto mother bearing the most children during the 10 years following his death.

### TO ESTABLISH SONS

"After that I want to provide the little ones with all the education they can possibly use," Mrs. Nagle added.

Mrs. Timleck, mother of 14, said she would start her two oldest boys in a garage business. After that she wanted a house in a small town with about 10 acres of land to "call my own."

Mrs. Smith, youngest claimant in the derby and mother of nine, said her present home would suit and that she had not thought of spending large sums on anything, "although we will buy a new car so we can take all the children out together."

The fourth mother, Mrs. McLean, mother of 11 youngsters, declined to be interviewed directly. Her husband explained she was not well. Counsel for the family, F. B. Eagleson, said "any money that may accrue will be carefully invested and to good purpose."

Mrs. Mae Clarke and Mrs. William Kenny are the other mothers fighting for a share of the money.

## Shrine Concert Gives Pleasure

Choir and Band, With Well-known Soloists, Please Large Audience

By G. J. D.

An attractive musical evening was provided in a co-ordinated program by the Masonic Choir and the Shrine Band at the Empress Hotel last night. There were eleven numbers by the choir and band, concluding with Wagner's "Pilgrims' Chorus." The instrumental selections, including a sousaphone (the double bass of a band) solo, with the appropriate title "Deep Bass," played by W. J. Handley, and a trio of cornets, "Triplets of the Finest" (Henneberg) with band accompaniment which was an outstanding rendition and was well executed by George Green, Jack Miller and James Mossop.

### THE CHOIR

As director of the Masonic Choir of 20 voices C. C. Warren's work as usual was highly commendable. He gets the worth of his subjects to the core and in total balance, cohesion and enunciation there were evidences of careful preparation and taste, including at times some nice color shading passages. His best results were perhaps in Oley Speaks' "Morning," Edward German's beautiful setting "Sleeping" (unaccompanied), Metcalf's placid "Absent," the "Cornfield Melodies," arranged by Cecil Gates, with the incidental music sung by J. O'Connor and C. E. J. Millins, Hugh Robertson's "All in the April Evening," and the ever pathetic "Goin' Home," by Dvorak (unaccompanied), the incidental solos sung by Maurice Thomas and A. W. Trevett.

These unaccompanied numbers, however, had the tendency to flatten, but the lovely setting of Edward German's "O Peaceful Night," made amends in its finely-caught tone gradations. The choir seemed to delight in such as "Salamaleikum" (Cornelius), with solo by P. A. Gibbs, the "Hymn Before Action" (Walford Davies), the ever fresh old English hunting song, "John Peel," Lloyd's "A Wet Sheet and a Flowing Sea," and in Sullivan, "The Beleguered."

### THE SOLOISTS

The vocal soloists were Maurice Thomas, tenor, who took the place of A. W. Palmer, and A. W. revett, baritone. Both are popular on local concerts, the former singing the famous Gilbert and Sullivan ditty, "Take a Pair of Sparkling Eyes," and "Kerry

## "Madame Captain"



The port of Montreal is to welcome a lady skipper to the harbor this summer when 23-year-old Francoise Lemay shown above at the wheel of the tanker Adelphi, will bring her vessel to port. She has just passed her examinations for a master's ticket with "high distinction." Miss Lemay originally came from St. Jean Deschailons, but for the past year has resided in Montreal. She was tutored in her navigation by Captain Paul Perrault, who was master of the motor launch Margo IV, and who has had considerable experience up and down the river. Miss Lemay will be the master of the "gasoline tanker" Adelphi.

Dance," the latter with much feeling. Mr. Trevett in his two solos, Tchaikowsky's "Pilgrim's Song" and Edward German's "Big Steamers," as usual, gave us good dictation combining a fine musical sense.

### THE BAND

Bandmaster James M. Miller never fails to adduce all that lies behind his excellently-selected program and the best from his forces; and it was seen and heard that the Shrine Band in its indoors winter performance found much favor and was thoroughly enjoyed. Good results were obtained in each selection, these being the overture "Morning, Noon and Night," Rossini's delightful "Ballet Music and Soldiers' March," the Victor Herbert "Favorites," arranged by Lake "The Best Loved Irish Melodies," by Hayes, and Rogan's popular "Military Tattoo."

George H. Peaker acted as accompanist in skillful manner, and the proceedings were under the patronage of Rev. Dr. J. S. Henderson, grand master; A. E. and A.M., G.R.B.C., and Colonel Donald McGugan, potentate of Gizeh Shrine Temple.

### MOST POPULAR GIFTS

LONDON (CP)—Most in demand this year as wedding presents are garden furniture, brandy glasses (for future husbands, of course) and breakfast-in-bed sets.

## Divorce Banned By Francoists

Republican Law Revoked in Insurgents' Area of Spain

HENDAYE, Franco-Spanish Frontier (AP)—The insurgent government at Burgos by decree today revoked the right of divorce for Spaniards in insurgent Spain.

The decree, submitted to the council of ministers by Minister of Justice de Rodezno, canceled a law voted in 1932 by the courts, after the republican government had displaced the monarchy of Alfonso.

Insurgent Generalissimo Franco presided at the council, which also approved measures regulating the press, finances and national defense.

Meanwhile, it became known insurgent Spain will have two more craft for her navy soon. The former government destroyer Ciscar, sunk off Gijon last year, has been refloated, and Marquis Diana announced from Cordoba a gift of \$375,000 for a warship to be named Teruel.

There was continued quiet on the civil war fronts today, with new offensives awaiting spring weather.

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## Sports Clubs Fight With Women

Feminine Rights Cause Stir In English Circles

LONDON—The fight for women's rights still seems to be going on.

At one well-known golf club near London a week-end ban on women players is threatened, and is causing great indignation among women members. A statement by the committee was issued to the effect that, from March 1, women would not be allowed to play or enter the clubhouse on Saturdays, Sundays or bank holidays, but 95 per cent of the men members are apparently on the side of the women, and it is hoped that it will be found possible to make the committee change its mind.

Women followers of the Cottemore Hunt in Leicestershire have caused another stir. Tired of uncomfortable bowlers and top-hats, the women started hunting in little velvet caps, which are both comfortable and becoming, but are traditionally the privilege of the master, the hunt servants and farmers. A crisis was reached when a prominent member of the hunt committee threatened to close his land to the hunt unless the women wore the proper headgear.

Then the master requested that the caps should be abandoned, and they were—all but one. For one woman produced a doctor's certificate saying that she must not wear a hard hat.

Another feminine crisis has occurred in the Isleworth Rowing Club, Twickenham, as to whether men and women members have equal rights to the use of club boats, and the captain of the club has resigned. He has also fallen out on this subject with his fiancée, who is the women's captain. There have been recent occasions on which a women's crew has been turned out of a boat when on the point of pushing off, because a men's crew wanted the boat.

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### CANCER TREATMENT

TORONTO (CP)—Premier Hepburn and a Conservative Leader Leopold Macaulay agreed in the Ontario Legislature Wednesday to allow introduction of a bill seeking permission for Miss R. M. Caisse, Bracebridge, Ont., nurse to practice medicine and administer her cancer treatment in the province.

## May Be Married At Kaiser's Home

LONDON—Plans are busily going forward for another ex-royal wedding in Europe, that of Prince Louis Ferdinand, grandson of the ex-Kaiser, and the Grand Duchess Kyre of Russia, who was one of the Duchess of Kent's bridesmaids.

The Grand Duchess was at Doorn recently for the family party to celebrate her grandfather's birthday, and it is very likely that the Protestant ceremony of her wedding will take place there some time in April.

The Russian ceremony will probably be held in the Russian church at Potsdam in Germany. She is to wear an historic gown for her wedding, that worn by her grandmother, the Grand Duchess Marie of Russia, who married Queen Victoria's son, the Duke of Edinburgh. It is a fairly tale-like dress of gleaming silver brocade, most beautifully embroidered, and has also been worn by the Grand Duchess Kyre's sister, Marie, when she married Prince Charles of Leiningen.

Prince Louis Ferdinand has a variety of interests. He worked for some time in a car factory in the United States, and is also a qualified pilot.

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<b>Tonight</b> 5:00-Maurice's Orchestra-Columbia. 5:00-Match of Time-National Blue. 5:00-Rudy Valley, guest artist-National Red. 5:00-Hovie Wingo, aviation-Mutual. 5:00-By Request-CBR. 5:00-Moonlight Rhythms-Mutual at 5:15.	<b>11:30</b> Music Appreciation-Canadian. American School of the Air-Columbia. Be Charming-National Red. Lucky Girl-Mutual. Edna Fisher-National Blue at 11:45. Agriculture-National Blue at 11:45. Charm Counselor-Mutual at 11:45.
<b>5:30</b> Grant and Ross-Columbia. Barry McKinley-National Blue. Owen O'Connor-KOL. Boake Carter-Columbia at 5:45. Little Orphan Annie-Mutual at 5:45. Rogers Philharmonie-National Blue at 5:45.	<b>12</b> Pepper Young's Family-National Red. High Hats-National Blue. London Calling-Canadian. Marine Band-Columbia. News-KOL. Beast At Sea-Trio-National Blue at 12:15. Ma Perkins-Mutual at 12:15.
<b>6</b> Good News, Robert Taylor, guests, Constance Bennett, Billie Burke, Brian Aherne, Mervyn Leroy, Gene McCarty-National Red. Major Bowes' Amateur Hour-Columbia. Drama Hour-Canadian. Scandinavian-KJR. Worthless Talk-KOL. Phantom Pilot-Mutual at 6:15.	<b>12:30</b> Questions Before the Senate-Columbia. Guiding Light-National Red at 12:45. Club Luncheon-National Blue at 12:45. The Newbyeds-Columbia at 12:45.
<b>6:30</b> Town Meeting, Roosevelt Policies toward business debated-National Blue. Frank Bull, sports-Mutual. News Flashes-KOL at 6:45.	<b>1</b> Club Matinee-Canadian. Myrt and Marge-Columbia. Sunny Sam-KOMO. The Bookends-Mutual at 1:15. Kitty Kelly-Columbia at 1:15. Mary Martin-National Red at 1:15.
<b>7</b> Music Hall, Bing Crosby, guests, Misha Auer, Maureen O'Sullivan-National Red. Hollywood Brenade-Mutual. Man to Man Sports-Columbia. Canadian Legion-CBR.	<b>1:30</b> Club Matinee-National Blue. Hughes-National Red. Dr. Daffoe-Columbia at 1:45. Dr. Kate-National Red at 1:45. Book-a-Week-Mutual at 1:45.
<b>7:30</b> Night Club-National Blue. Hollywood Showcases-Columbia. Henry Weber's Revue-Mutual. John C. Stevenson-KJR at 7:45.	<b>2</b> Follow the Moon-Columbia. Martha Meade-National Red. The Johnson Family-National Blue. Neighbor Nell-National Blue. Drs and Lenz-KJR. Treasure Island-Canadian at 2:15. Mary Southern-Columbia at 2:15. Dign Winkler-National Blue at 2:15.
<b>8</b> Amos 'n' Andy-National Red. News and Weather-Canadian. Scattergood Barnes-Columbia. Eddie Le Baron's Orchestra-National Blue. Bliss Schaller Reviews-National Blue at 8:15.	<b>2:30</b> Kathleen Harris-Canadian. Through a Woman's Eyes-Columbia. Baker's Orchestra-National Blue. Harry Kew's Orchestra-National Red. Kew on the Keys-Mutual. Clinging Rocks-Canadian at 2:45. Hilbert House-Canadian at 2:45. Johnnie Johnson-National Blue at 2:45.
<b>8:15</b> Youth Intercourse-Canadian at 8:15. Hollywood Screenings-Columbia at 8:15. Symphony Hour, Schubert, Wagner-National Red at 8:15.	<b>3</b> Maurice Spillane's Orchestra-National Blue and Canadian. Education in the News-National Red. Feminine Fancies-Mutual. Julia Blake-Columbia. Music for Fun-Columbia at 3:15. Rhythmairs-National Red at 3:15.
<b>8:30</b> Jimmy Grier's Orchestra-National Blue. Rockstage-Canadian. Kate Smith Hour-Columbia. Caffrey's Orchestra-Mutual. Musical Moments-Mutual at 8:45.	<b>3:30</b> Golden Journeys-Canadian. Judy and Jesters-Columbia. Woman's Magazine-National Red. Dr. Van Wagon-Mutual. Vagabonds-National Blue at 3:45. The In-laws-Columbia at 3:45. Raymond Gram Swing-Mutual.
<b>9</b> Newspaper of the Air-Mutual. New Lamps for Old-Canadian. Roger Pryor's Orchestra-National Blue. News-KJR. House of the Dead-KOL at 9:15. Romance Time-KOMO at 9:15.	<b>4</b> Loid Romanelli's Orchestra-Canadian. Mendel's Singers-National Red. Dorothy Mackenzie-National Red. Julien Lewis Jr.-Mutual. The Four of Us-National Blue at 4:15. Major Bill-Canadian at 4:15.
<b>9:30</b> European Classics-Canadian. Kay Kayser's Orchestra-Mutual. Louis Armstrong's Orchestra-National Red. Orchard Van's Orchestra-National Blue. The University Explorer-National Blue at 9:45.	<b>4:30</b> Organ Recital-Canadian. Jingelown Gazette-National Blue. Brendis' Western Band-National Red. Kins' Trumpeters-Mutual. Canadian Portraits-Canadian at 4:45. Craig Mathews-National Blue at 4:45.
<b>10</b> News Flashes-National Red. The Book Review-Canadian. Henry King's Orchestra-Columbia. Joe Reichman's Orchestra-Mutual. Louis Paulino's Orchestra-National Blue. Weather and News-Canadian at 10:15. Paul Christensen's Orchestra-National Red at 10:15. Art of Conversation-Columbia at 10:15.	<b>CFCE (1450 Kilocycles)</b> <b>Tonight</b> 4:45-Dance Music 4:50-Melodies 5:00-Monitor 5:10-Youth Speaks 5:20-Birthdays 5:30-Fine Arts 5:40-Art Fairs 5:45-Violin Strings 5:50-Music Lovers 5:55-Supper Dance 6:00-Pentecostal 7:30-Waltz Time
<b>10:30</b> Billy Moore's Orchestra-National Blue. Musical Tidbits-Canadian. Jack Winston's Orchestra-National Red. Roger Burke's Orchestra-Mutual. Phil Harris's Orchestra-Columbia at 10:45.	<b>Tomorrow</b> 7:45-Wake and Sing 8:00-Solilo 8:10-Solilo 8:20-News 8:30-Chronometer 8:40-Notes and News 8:45-Varieties 8:50-Financial 9:00-Heating Words 9:15-Bing Crosby 9:20-More 9:30-World Bookman 9:40-Pickens Sisters 9:50-Friendly Hour
<b>11</b> Eddie Duchin's Orchestra-National Red. Charles Runyan, organ-National Blue. Everett Hoagland's Orchestra-Mutual.	<b>Award of \$227 Upheld on Appeal</b> VANCOUVER (CP)—Affirming a judgment of Judge Charles H. Barker, the British Columbia Court of Appeal today dismissed an appeal of Antonio Commencucci, Nanaimo miner. Commencucci claimed \$1,000 damages from John Titus, Nanaimo truck driver, for injuries suffered in a Nanaimo traffic accident May 2, 1933. Titus previously had been awarded \$227 damages in a counter-claim, and that award was upheld by the Appeal Court.
<b>11:30</b> Archie Loveland's Orchestra-National Red. Red Nichols's Orchestra-Mutual. Black Chapel-Columbia at 11:45. Midnight Matinee-KOL at 11:45. Henry King's Orchestra at 11:15.	<b>HOROSCOPE</b> "The stars incline, but do not compel." FRIDAY, MARCH 4, 1938 Perplexing but stimulating aspects rule today according to astrology. Return in a position envisaging spread of labor troubles. Organizations will be needed to disturb within their membership. While there are promising signs affecting capital and encouraging employers to expand their business enterprises, subversive efforts will retard plans in some quarters. Though this is a lucky day to launch big projects, competitive activity will be better and unscrupulous. The sun guides men in positions of authority and promises for them a period during which their powers must be employed with courage and independence. Manufacturers will meet grave problems. This is a fortunate away under which to make decisions and to sign contracts. Grave responsibilities are to be assumed by producers of munitions and builders of airplanes. Mars is supposed to encourage conflict of every kind. This is not a favorable day for domestic harmony and young folks may be difficult to direct. Persons whose birthdate is 11 have the augury of a year of activity and surprises. It is wise to guard one's speech, especially as profits are indicated from a friend or a relative who has enemies. Children born on this day probably will be strong in character and endowed with varied talents. Subjects of this sign attain unexpected fame. Casimir Pulaski, Polish patriot, was born on this day, 1748. Others who have celebrated it as a birthday include Knute Rockne, football coach, 1896; Charles Dittus, composer, 1848; and John H. Turnbull, Massachusetts statesman, 1873. (Copyright, McClure Newspaper Syndicate)
<b>Tomorrow</b> 7:00-Top of the Morning-KOMO. Church of the Air-KJR. Sunrise Serenade-KIRO. Morning Devotionals-KVI.	<b>"Big Sister"</b> Brings Romance to VICTORIA She's Ruth Evans, the heroine of the heart-warming, Rimeo daytime radio programs that millions are talking about. Tune in Monday through Friday. CBR—11 a.m.

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## Hudson's Bay Company

West Saanich Road, in the absence of the president, Mrs. J. Edge presided, assisted by Mrs. George Jones, who was in charge of the meeting. Mrs. W. Allan read a portion of the study book, "The People That Sit in Darkness." Mrs. G. Jones spoke on Christian stewardship. Mrs. W. Allan read a paper on temperance. Accounts of missionary work in Canada were given by Mrs. W. Allison; Africa, by Mrs. Phillips; Trinidad, by Mrs. A. Allison; and India, by Mrs. George Jones. Mrs. Phillips rendered a vocal solo, accompanied by Mrs. J. Hoy. The April meeting will be in charge of Mrs. W. Allan and Mrs. A. Allison, and will be held at the parsonage, Glyn Road. St. Michael's Junior Women's Auxiliary, with their parents, enjoyed missionary lantern slide shown by Miss G. Checkley, Miss D. Mott and Mrs. Bengough of Victoria, Monday afternoon in the Royal Oak Community Hall. Bill Stevenson, son of Mr. and Mrs. T. Stevenson, West Saanich Road, left Saturday for Turner Valley, Alberta.



# Must Figure Short-enders In Big Handicap

## Sports Mirror

By PETE SALLAWAY

BASKETBALL fans who attend the games every week between the Dominos and invading clubs may often wonder just how far some of the players travel during the course of the 40 minutes of fast competition. Now, psychologists and scientists, who believe that there is enough basis for argument about the new style game come up with some interesting data as a result of experiments.

It is stated that cagers this season are traveling nearly twice as far in a game as they did in 1931. The contention is made by Paul G. Fay and L. L. Messersmith, professors at DePauw University. After checking four DePauw players in as many games, it was found that each traveled nearly four miles per contest. When the last check was made in 1931 it was found that the average distance traveled was from 2.25 to 2.5 miles. This year the average is approximately 3.9 miles.

In determining these figures, Professors Fay and Messersmith constructed a miniature court made of tin that is fastened to a wooden base. A metal "follower," attached to a storage battery, is used to follow the player's movements on the floor, while a clock-like instrument records the number of feet traveled. The two most important rule changes since 1931 have contributed mostly to this long-distance traveling, namely, the 10-second limit on bringing the ball to mid-court on offense, and the elimination of the centre jump.

Checking a guard in the DePauw-Boston contest, the experimenters found that he traveled exactly 3.9 miles. In the DePauw-Ball State engagement, a forward covered 3.96 miles. A guard moved 3.87 miles in the DePauw-Franklin scrap. A centre traveled 3.97 miles in the DePauw-Earlham battle.

The forward who was followed in the Ball State game moved 12,138 feet on offense and 8,798 feet on defence. Because Franklin used a delayed offence during the second half, the guard checked in this contest traveled 11,748 feet on defence and 8,688 feet on offence.

In addition to checking the distance traveled by the players, Professors Fay and Messersmith also checked the number of times the ball changed hands. The average was slightly more than 60. The boys are on the go much more than in former years, but the figures do not prove the new game detrimental to the athletes' well-being. The battle rages, but the players themselves do the least complaining.

Remember When — Toronto's Larry Gains retained the British Empire heavyweight boxing championship at London six years ago tonight with a 15-round victory over Don McCorkindale, South African titleholder. The Canadian battler relinquished the title to Len Harvey two years later. Tommy Farr now holds the crown.

**BOXING**  
New York — Davey Day, 135½, Chicago, outpointed Charley Gomer, 133½, Baltimore (10).  
Des Moines — Harry Thomas, 189, Chicago, knocked out Ed. Winston, 197, Hartford, Conn. (3).  
Oakland, Calif. — Phil Brubaker, 201, Dubuque, Calif., knocked out "Hank" Hankinson, 215, Lancaster, Ohio (1).



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## 100 Grand Has Been Jinxed For Heavy Favorites

Indian Broom, Whichce Sceneshifter and Others Rate Saturday Rich Returns

LOS ANGELES—The Vancouver-owned Indian Broom and Whichce and Stagehand, Sceneshifter and their less celebrated associates who will be more or less short-enders in the Santa Anita \$100,000 handicap Saturday, may be enjoying a quiet snicker in their stalls today.

For it must be remembered that Rosemont won last year's classic. And a week before the 1937 "100 Grand" Rosemont was none too well regarded. All told, the Santa Anita handicap has been no soft touch at any time for such favorites as Seabiscuit, the 1937 handicap champion of the United States turf who goes postward under a 130-pound impost Saturday.

The favorite in 1936 was Alfred G. Vanderbilt's Mighty Discovery. Discovery ran seventh. And in 1935 the favorite was Equipose. Equipose ran seventh while Jockey George Woolf of Cardston, Alta., romped home first aboard Azucar.

There was another good horse for whom the tom-toms had sounded in the 1935 race, the first time the \$100,000 Santa Anita handicap was run. That horse was Twenty Grand. He ran 10th.

So from the standpoint of the Santa Anita classic being anything but a pushover for favorites, things look none too dusty for Major Austin C. Taylor's Indian Broom and Whichce.

**RICHARDS UP**  
Ensuring a good ride for Whichce, the Vancouver sportsman has engaged Jockey Harry Richards for the big race in which Whichce, a sprightly four-year-old bay gelding carries a mere 110 pounds. Richards was up on Rosemont to win a year ago.

And in regard to Indian Broom, many race followers believe the anything-but-pretty Broom has another great race left in his gangling legs and stout heart. The Broom must carry 116 pounds.

The horse that wins the handicap probably makes money faster than anything else—man, animal or machine—in all history. It takes just a little over two minutes to gallop the mile and a quarter and the winning pony earns approximately \$100,000—the richest racing stake in the world.

Santa Anita coins money. It pays the state more than a million dollars each year, pays half a million in federal and local taxes, put out three-quarters of a million in purses.

The track spent \$300,000 for its totalisator equipment, \$50,000 for its camera finish, then poured \$800,000 into other improvements. The latter included enlargement of the grandstand to seat 40,000. Last season the track gave \$125,000 to charity.

**HUGE DIVIDENDS**  
In spite of all this, money poured in so fast that dividends of 135 per cent on the original investment were paid in the first two years of operation. Either through generosity or from jitters over such sudden prosperity, the management then did something possibly unprecedented in the gaming world—voluntarily cut down its "take."

HOCKEY STANDINGS

N. H. L.

Canadian Division

Team	W	L	D	P	Goals
Toronto	20	12	5	120	106 48
Canadiens	16	15	10	105	108 42
Americans	15	15	9	87	83 39
Maroons	11	26	8	89	125 27

American Division

Team	W	L	D	P	Goals
Boston	27	9	5	116	74 50
Rangers	24	12	5	130	77 53
Chicago	11	22	9	89	122 31
Detroit	9	21	11	77	109 29

COAST LEAGUE

Team	W	L	D	P	Goals
Seattle	10	11	8	87	75 44
Vancouver	17	18	7	80	88 39
Portland	15	17	8	82	89 38
Spokane	14	18	5	70	68 33

## UNITYS TAKE ISLAND TITLE

E. Snyder Leads Victoria Cage Squad to 34 to 31 Win Over Courtenay

Walter Yeamans and his Unitys were back in Victoria today bearing with them the Vancouver Island intermediate A girls' hoop championship, which they captured last night by virtue of their 34 to 31 triumph over Courtenay in a sudden-death contest for the title in Nanaimo.

The battle, which was exceptionally keen all the way, with close checking, featuring, went into overtime when the teams finished the regular 40 minutes of play in a 30 to 30 deadlock. In the extra period, Eileen Snyder, high-scoring Unity forward, stole the spotlight when she ran through to pot a pair of baskets to give the Victoria girls the championship. Miss Snyder played an all-round sterling game, and displayed uncanny marksmanship, canning 19 of her team's total points.

The up-Island girls were leading 13 to 12 at half-time. Unitys will travel to Vancouver to meet Monophones in a sudden-death game for British Columbia honors.

Teams and scores follow:  
Unitys—E. Snyder 19, E. Crow 4, C. Reid 2, E. Mason 2, F. Robertson, J. Metcalfe, P. Goddard 1 and E. Peden 6. Total 34.  
Courtenay—D. Hurford 8, D. Brown 8, R. Bowen 7, J. Lyler 3, R. Stewart 3, N. Wilson, M. Burnett 2 and M. Urquhart. Total 31.

## Carpet Bowling

Results of matches last night in the Victoria Carpet Bowling

third place went to F. Waters with 201 for 42 games.  
In fourth position was G. Brandom with 199 for 51 games.  
The 10 leading scorers follow:  
L. Wagner, 222; B. Plater, 214; F. Waters, 201; G. Brandom, 199; H. Sweetnam, 196; H. Nancarrow, 192; H. Campbell, 187; J. Norrington, 186; N. Hicks, 186, and J. Galloway, 186.

## Amerks-Canadiens To Resume Battle

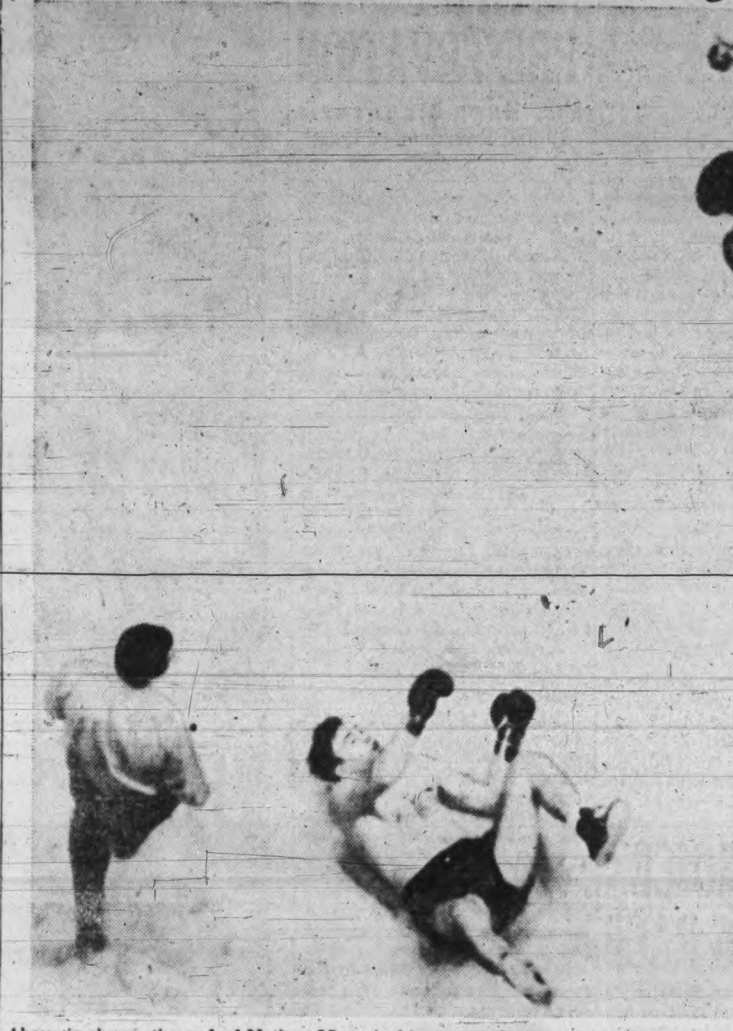
May Determine Tonight Club To Take Runner-up Spot in Major Hockey

With a little more than two weeks of play remaining few problems are to be settled in the National Hockey League. Progress toward ironing out the doubtful points probably will be made tonight when all four teams concerned get into action.

In Montreal, New York Americans and Canadiens tangle in a battle that may indicate which is to gain the runner-up spot in the Canadian division to Toronto Maple Leafs. Few believe that either has a chance to overtake Conny Smythe's team.

But the struggle between Habits and Red Dutton's team may yet develop into one of the finest bits of rivalry of the season. Now three points behind Canadiens but with two games more to play,

## Nathan Mann is Knocked Kicking



Above is shown the end of Nathan Mann in his recent heavyweight championship fight with Joe Louis. This is what is meant when they say that a fighter has been knocked kicking. Louis is seen standing under the microphone with Referee Arthur Donovan at the left.

League tournament at the Crystal Garden follow:  
**Open Singles**  
W. F. Hislop 18, J. Fuller 14, D. Swan 21, H. Bond 18.  
E. Kirchin 26, A. Goodman 13.  
P. Waterhouse 18, D. Croston 16.  
S. Campion won by default from A. Byatt.

**Open Triples**  
S. Campion, J. Walton and E. Bentley, 20; H. Clear, J. Keith and C. Storey, 13.  
H. Pearson, A. Graham and A. Hampton, 16; P. Walker, A. Byatt and V. Bryant, 23.  
J. Baron, B. Jacklin and J. Smith, 22; R. W. Wilson, J. Denning and R. Pugh, 10.

**TONIGHT'S DRAW**  
**Open Singles**  
7.30—R. Pugh vs. E. Barnes, P. Walker vs. J. Keith, W. Baker vs. T. McMahon, P. Caine vs. Mrs. Barnes.

**Open Doubles**  
8.15—T. Low and S. Doncaster vs. P. Waterhouse and E. H. Forrest, E. Logan and J. Fuller vs. A. Slocomb and W. F. Hislop, W. Roberts and W. Merton vs. E. Kirchin and C. Jordan, G. Knight and W. Millard vs. W. Carpenter and H. Milnes, A. Goodman and R. Knight vs. T. Sellars and W. Steenson.

## B.C. Players Win In National Meet

Westerners Show Up Well As Canadian Badminton Championships Open

QUEBEC—A slim youngster playing in his second major tournament stepped brilliantly through the first two rounds of the Canadian badminton championships yesterday to take a place in singles quarter-finals with the country's best shotmakers.

Whatever his showing in the remaining three days of the tournament, 17-year-old Ted Pollock of Kitchener, Ont., quickly stamped himself as the best of Canada's younger stars when he downed Len Schlemm, Montreal, in a gruelling second-round match, 15-12, 12-15, 15-13.

Pollock reached the eights with three other Ontario players, including the favored Jack Storey of Toronto, and with four westerners seeking to retain for their section the title won last year by Dick Birch of Vancouver, not defending because of recent illness. Birch's successor to the British Columbia crown, Johnny Samis of Vancouver, established himself with Jim Forsythe of Winnipeg, as the west's main hope.

Storey, after drawing a first-round bye, whipped Jack Blanchfield of Winnipeg, in the second, 15-5, 15-6. Forsythe also was passed through the first stage and he took it easy in ousting A. E. P. Scott of Quebec in the second, 15-2, 15-1.

**DEFEATS BROTHERS**  
Bob Pentland of Calgary and Ems Long of Winnipeg, joined Forsythe and Samis in the west's defence. Samis defeated the Turcot Brothers of Quebec, with a 15-9, 15-6 margin over Jacques and one of 15-11, 15-7 over Mare. Pentland, Alberta champion, scored over C. N. Tetrault of Montreal, 15-13, 15-10, and had to step up his game to beat D. Reburn of Toronto, 11-15, 15-12, 15-10. Long's victims were W. Scandrett of Toronto, by 15-12, 15-8, and Dave Rattray, Montreal, 15-12, 15-8.

A former national champion, Margaret Taylor of Kelowna, B.C., carried the west's first hopes in women's singles, seeking the title left in default by Mrs. Anna Kler Patrick of Vancouver. Winning easily in the only round (Turn to Page 16, Col. 8)

## Hudson's Bay and Navy In Shutouts

### Hoop Games Are Carded Tonight

Three basketball games will be played this evening at the Esquimalt Athletic Association Hall.

The card follows:  
7.20—Esquimalt Midgets vs. Esquimalt School.  
8.15—Esquimalt Juniors vs. Lake Hill.  
9.15—Esquimalt Seniors vs. Mount Tolmie, C.C.F.

The second game on the program is a Vancouver Island play-off.

### Scottish Whip Nanaimo Squad

Score 52 to 23 Win in Intermediate A Basketball Playoff

Flipping 25 points through the basket, Bill Lovell led Canadian Scottish intermediate A hoopers to a 52 to 23 victory over Nanaimo last night at the High School, in the first game of a home-and-home series for the Vancouver Island championship. Excellent marksmanship on the part of the Scots outclassed the invaders from the start and they took matters in their stride to chalk up a 24 to 9 half-time score. For the first eight minutes of the final session Nanaimo matched basket for basket with the Scottish but fell behind again as the more rangy locals took the rebounds to pile up more points. Stopped by a stone-wall defence, the Nanaimo boys were forced to long-range shooting.

**PLAYS BRILLIANTLY**  
Lovell turned in a fine exhibition in snaring his 25 points, enough to beat the up-Islanders single handed, but his team mates threw in another 27 to more than double the score on the visitors.

In the second game on the card Bombers whipped Klausners 26 to 23 in a Sunday School League consolation battle. Outscoring their opponents by four points in the final canto, the eventual winners came down the home stretch in front after being behind 15 to 14 at the interval.

Easy Aces, Sunday School League squad defeated the Crescents, Victoria and District Basketball League team, 26 to 19 in an exhibition game.

Bob Macmurchie refereed. Canadian Scottish—Whyte (1), W. Friker (4), Lovell (25), Mylrea (5), Purdy, Bray (3), McCall (2), Hornsby (2) and Dale (10). Nanaimo—Watson (6), Corman (5), Knight, Saunders, Squires (4), Johnstone (8), Marwick and Good.

Bombers—Ingalls (4), Mylrea (8), Mason, Morrison (7), Cummings (1), Cullin (2), Ross (4) and Selick. Klausners—Richards (2), Thomas, Minnis, Stevenson, Peebles (4), Taylor (6), Watson and McCorkall (5).

Eight Aces—Ackerman (5), Price (2), R. Price (8), Hartnett (2), Whitfield (2), Webster (2), and Pridham (5). Crescents—Beere, James (10), Fields (3), Davies (1), Stewart, Cosier, Williams (2), Turner (2), and Fair (1).

### Score 4 to 0 Triumphs Over Spencers and Gorge Hotel in Midweek Soccer

Manager Cy Nicholls' Hudson's Bay eleven retained first berth in the Pendray Cup soccer series yesterday afternoon by handing their rivals, Spencer's, a 4 to 0 setback at the Athletic Park. At Heywood Avenue, the Navy brought their big guns into action and blasted out a similar triumph over Gorge Hotel to take second place.

Three postponed matches remain before the cup winner is decided. Spencer's are booked to meet the Bays and Navy and the Gorge team each have one game left with the Bays.

The outcome of yesterday's matches leaves the Bay on top with 11 points, Navy second with 9 points, followed by Spencer's with 7 points, and the Gorge Hotel with one point.

**BAYS WIN**  
Spencer's had been out of play for a couple of weeks and the layoff did not seem to have done them any good, judging from yesterday's game at the enclosure. They were pretty weak when in shooting position, while the Bays took more advantage of opportunities of the like when they presented themselves. Red McMillan was between the posts for the Diamond S club in the first half and three shots got past him.

The first two drives from the toe of Speller, deflected off full-back Dal Munro who was trying to clear, and wound up in the net. Speller also made the opening for the third goal, his bullet shot, being toed in by Bob Preston. The score stood 3 to 0 for the Bays at the half.

Norm Stewardson arrived to take over the netminding duties in the last half and only one goal got past him. Fogden was responsible.

Teams follow:  
Spencer's—Stewardson, Munro, Cann, L. Bradley, Moir, McMillan, Brown, Newell, Raeside, Collins, Williams and Byatt.

Hudson's Bay—Renfrew, O'Connell, Wyatt, Williamson, Kennedy, Cress, Speller, McBride, Preston, Fogden, Stofor, Oakman.

**SAILORS TRIUMPH**  
At Beacon Hill, a diminutive fellow who answers to the name of Doug Gent, Gorge Hotel full-back, worked like a Trojan during the Navy attacks, and his fine footwork was largely responsible for the fact the sailors were only able to sag the hemp once in the first session. The hotelmen staged a powerful attack in the dying minutes of the stanza, but Gorge DeCosta handled all, some plenty dangerous. Marr headed in Murray's fine flag kick for the only goal.

In the final 45 minutes, however, the Gorge boys were not so successful on the defence, for on three occasions the sailors forayed into their goal area to sink their shots, with Marr notching the first and Alec Ross accounting for the other two. Goalie DeCosta did not have much work to do in this half, as most of the hotelmen's attacks were brushed away by the defencemen. Barnswell muffed a penalty kick for the Gorge.

Dave McMillan refereed. Teams follow:  
Navy—DeCosta, McDonald, A. Kennedy, D. Sands, Robinson, Gagnon, Geddes, Marr, Peakman, Ross, Murray and Parker.

Gorge Hotel—C. Saddler, Geoghegan, D. Gent, W. Saddler, Fieldhouse, Alexander, Ball, Carr, Barnswell, K. Gent and Constable.

## Canada Defeats U.S. Ice Squad

MUNICH, Germany—The touring Canadian hockey team last night defeated, 5 to 0, the United States squad, which, with the Canadians, took part in the recent world amateur championship at Praha that Canada won.

Scorers for the Ontario team that plays as the Sudbury Wolves were Gordon Bruce, Ottawa; Roy Heximer, Copper Cliff; Percy Allen, Toronto (two), and Red Chipman, Kirkland Lake.

## Seattle Wins and Cinches Top Place

Dave Downie Scores Two Goals to Whip Portland Hockey Squad

SEATTLE—The Seattle Sea Hawks clinched first place in Coast Hockey League standing for the regular season by defeating Portland 2 to 0 here last night. Dave Downie, speedy Sea Hawks' winger, snapped in the first goal midway through the initial session on a pass from Pete Leswick. After a scoreless middle period

the same pair teamed up for Seattle's second goal in the third with Downie again on the firing end of Leswick's pass.

**SUMMARY**  
First period — 1, Seattle, Downie (Leswick), 11:33. Penalties: None.  
Second period — No scoring. Penalties: Downie, Gilmour, Moffatt.  
Third period — 2, Seattle, Downie (Leswick), 9:43. Penalties: Oulette, Sutherland, Downie, Jervia.



## OBSERVATORY STUDIES TOLD

Three Publications Issued By Saanich Mountain Astronomers

From the office of the Dominion Astrophysical Observatory three publications have been issued containing results of investigations that have been carried out by members of the staff. The largest one is a 48-page, quarto size, discussion of the new star appearing in the constellation Lacerta in June, 1936. In this investigation all members of the staff participated, each taking a particular phase of the work. The star originally was a body similar to the sun, but about 2,700 years ago, according to the distance as determined by the local astronomers, it started to expand. When first observed here it was expanding at about 700 miles per second, but this increased day by day for about 10 days until an explosive velocity of 1,600 miles per second was attained. At its maximum the so-called new star had a diameter 210 times that of the sun and a real luminosity 83,200 times as great. Many other new and interesting facts are brought to light in this investigation.

The other two publications are shorter numbers, both being the determination of the orbits of double stars. The star numbered 109510 in the Henry Draper Catalogue is shown by Dr. R. M. Petrie to consist of two components moving about each other in a period of 7.3366 days. While the masses of the components are about the same, one is considerably brighter than the other. The star numbered 214652 in the same catalogue is shown by Dr. Andrew McKellar to consist also of two components swinging

about each other in a period of 1.254535 days, but one component is practically non-luminous compared to the other. The period of revolution has been very accurately determined through the aid of earlier Victoria observations and is accurate to a tenth of a second.

These publications are sent to all leading observatories and universities throughout the world in exchange for similar publications. About 460 institutions are on the mailing list.

### SALT SPRING ISLAND

GANGES—Members and friends of the Salt Spring Island Golf Club met recently for a military whist party, arrangements for which were made by Miss Brydie Wilson. Prizes were won by Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Mout, Mr. and Mrs. Norman West, Misses Shirley and Brydie Wilson, Neil McElroy, L. Fonseca, Mrs. V. C. Morris and Miss Doreen Crofton. The annual meeting of the Burgoyne Bay Ladies' Aid was held at the home of Mrs. D. Maxwell, Fulford Harbor. Mrs. H. Townsend presided. The election of officers resulted as follows: President, Mrs. H. Townsend; secretary, Mrs. P. C. Mallett; treasurer, Mrs. T. Reid. Plans were made to hold a concert and sale of work in the Fulford Community Hall on March 26, proceeds to go to the building fund of the Burgoyne Bay Church, on which work will begin shortly.

Organized by the Parent-Teacher Association of South Salt Spring Island, a military 500 party was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. Graham on Friday evening. Prize-winners were Mr. and Mrs. Cairns, J. Grosart, Mrs. Graham, Mr. and Mrs. R. Cornish and Mr. and Mrs. P. Horel. Refreshments were followed by an informal dance, for which the music was supplied by J. Briggs.

Contrary to popular belief, the carp is one of the healthiest of fish.

## Several Labor Groups Start

Employees Taking Advantage of New Legislation, Trades Body Told

Negotiations are now proceeding between employers and employees of several industries in Victoria to have the employees organized under the provincial Industrial Conciliation and Arbitration Act, according to a report presented to the Trades and Labor Council last night.

The report was presented by N. Robinson for the organization committee, and indicated there were hopes for early settlement of agreements between employees and their managements. The committee is operating on a voluntary basis and comprises delegates from various locals interested in the promotion of the trade union movement.

Hours of work in Oriental laundries in the city were brought to the attention of the council and the delegate who reported the matter was requested to supply the group with names of laundry proprietors allegedly violating the provisions of the Hours of Work Act. It was also reported there were violations of the city's early closing law in these same premises.

Communications dealing with the council's recent attempt to trace a report that Hollywood movie interests were proposing the production of pictures in Toronto were read and informed the council that eastern authorities and immigration officials had received no word of the proposal.

Labor difficulties between a local whaling concern and employees were reported by a delegate of the Inland Boatmen's Union and it was reported they were being taken up with federal authorities and owners of the fleet.

## JOINT CHOICE FOR BIG RACE

LONDON—Arthur Sainsbury's Blue Shirt and Royal Mail, owned by the estate of H. Lloyd Thomas, became official joint favorites for the Grand National in a callover of odds at the Victoria Club last night.

Both were backed by odds of 100 to 7 for the March 25 steeplechase at Aintree. J. B. Snow's Delachance, previous 15 to 1 favorite was 100 to 6. Other odds were: Colleen 18 to 1, Aligned Sire, Royal Danelli and Dunhill Castle 20 to 1, Takvor Pacha, Didorie and Red Freeman 25 to 1, Lough Cottage 28 to 1, Workman 40 to 1.

Mrs. W. Ahern's Squadron Castle became favorite at 100 to 7 for the March 25 Lincolnshire one-mile handicap. Second choices, each at 100 to 6, were C. Jarvis's Gaslonia and Mrs. J. Shand's Thankerton. Other odds were: Scarlet Princess and Peter Kane 18 to 1, Disford and Gunboat 20 to 1, Gibbons 22 to 1, Phakos, Hornpipe, Laureat 11, Pampas Grass and Dan Bulger 25 to 1.

A mastodon dug up in Indiana in 1930 had a tusk 12½ feet long.

## Say Japanese Replace Whites

Employment of Japanese labor on the Sooke Lake watershed was protested by the Trades and Labor Council last night and the protest will be forwarded to the City Council.

The labor men were told the Japanese replaced white men hired by a Hindu given the contract for logging on the watershed and it was felt the city should take some action to have this condition remedied.

## NATIVE PLANT PRESERVATION

Mrs. Hugh MacKenzie Named President of Local Society

Mrs. Hugh MacKenzie was returned by acclamation as president of the Society for the Preservation of Native Plants at the annual meeting of last night in the City Hall. Duncan D. McTavish was named to the position of vice-president. Miss J. Bell, secretary and Alderman John A. Worthington, treasurer, were both re-elected unanimously.

Those named to the executive committee were Dr. J. D. Hunter, M.P.P., Miss E. Hart, P. R. Leighton, C. C. Pemberton, A. R. Sherwood, Dr. I. McTaggart-Cowan and Nigel Morgan. Hon. Eric W. Hamber, Lieutenant-Governor, was elected honorary president. Honorary vice-presidents are Hon. A. Wells Gray, Mrs. J. Hadden Gillespie, Miss Lottie Bowden, Senator G. H. Barnard, Dr. S. J. Willis, Rev. Robert Connell and J. B. Clearihue, K.C.

MAKES APPEAL  
Contained in Mrs. MacKenzie's report was an appeal to assist in the preservation of the forests of British Columbia, the native plants and the natural wonderland of the province in general. The report noted progress in this direction had already been made. Because of the medicinal qualities of its bark, Mrs. MacKenzie's report stated the society sought the protection of the cascara tree.

Five objectives outlined in the report read as follows: "To preserve certain species that are fast becoming exterminated, to protect our highways and parks from spoilage, to conserve some of the original beauty of British Columbia in reservation of forest areas and places of special scenic value, to conserve timber on watersheds, to rouse public opinion as to the value of forests."

The treasurer's report stated the society had a bank balance of \$44.32.

POSTER COMPETITION  
Announcement was made of the poster competition on wild flower protection and fire prevention in parks and forests.

The City Council was commended for its action in prohibiting the new road around Thetis Lake to automobiles. The competition will be open to school students 13 and under in Class A; 14 to 16 in Class B, and from 17 to 20 inclusive in Class C. Entries will close April 2.

C. L. Harrison showed slides of the destruction of the timber areas in the Cowichan Lake and Campbell River districts. Mr. Harrison said the wanton de-

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struction was bad for tourist trade. While the West Coast road would prove a great factor in building up those districts, if there were no forests it would only enable the tourists to obtain a better view of the destruction. He commended the work of Chief Forester C. O. Manning in his efforts on preservation.

## Local Pastor In New Charge

Rev. G. R. V. Bolster, assistant curate at St. John's Church for the last year, has accepted the Bishop of Columbia's offer of the parish of Sandwick and Courtenay, according to announcement from the Bishop.

The island pastorate was vacated by the resignation of Rev. F. C. Chapman. It is expected Mr. Bolster will assume his new duties immediately after Easter.

A chemist points out that the famous iron pillar of Delhi, India, has lasted 1,600 years with almost no rusting because it is in a dry climate and not because of some mysterious lost art of handling metal.

A new laboratory for studying poultry diseases will be established by the Department of Agriculture for northern states.

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## OPENING DAY CATCHES SLIM

### Water Conditions Good But Failing Barometer Spoiled Trout Fishing

Artificial flies of various patterns, highly-polished brass and silver spoons, worms and other forms of lures, held little or no appeal with the trout on the opening day when scores of anglers invaded lakes and rivers to try their skill.

Anglers found the majority of lakes in Victoria's surrounding districts in their best condition for early fishing in a number of years, with water levels ideal. Everything would have been fine were it not for a falling barometer, which started receding on Monday and was still at the lower levels on Tuesday.

However, many believe it is just a little too early to expect good results, but maintain that another week or 10 days of mild weather will make a big difference.

Capt. W. E. Tapley topped all who invaded the upper reaches of the Cowichan on Tuesday, reeling in four beauties, weighing from one to one-and-a-half pounds. He was using haggard flies. Water conditions were fine in that locality. One or two others caught a fish or two. There was very little doing at Kemp, Dougan's and Prospect Lakes. One angler was reported having reeled in four at Shawmin Lake, which opened for the first time with the general season in seven or eight years.

# Bowling Scores

## OLYMPIC ALLEYS

### WOMEN'S COMMERCIAL FIVEPIN LEAGUE

Coast Hardware—J. Goodman 626; R. Johnston 571, P. Holt 681, J. McNaught 588, A. Armstrong 694, handicap 197. Total 2,519.

Radiants—A. Matthews 423, P. Ferguson 411, E. Cross 567, B. Patkeney 489, V. Rock 635, handicap 172. Total 2,527.

Coast Hardware won three.

### COMMERCIAL A FIVEPIN LEAGUE

Belmonts—N. McCall 523, Don McCall 615, R. Anderson 602, Dune McCall 639, H. Gent 506, handicap 60. Total 3,007.

New Method Landries—W. Waters 614, D. Dimes 604, S. Swinham 602, W. Jones 550, A. Dunderdale 597, handicap 135. Total 2,522.

Belmonts won two.

Colonist Nonpareils—E. Borge 620, W. Poole 604, R. Turner 604, R. Begg 514, W. Dunn 582, handicap 171. Total 2,579.

Lucky Strikes—C. Craigston 558, L. Hall 417, L. Craigton 478, D. Milne 609, L. Rees 488, handicap 300. Total 2,520.

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Cameron's Lumber Co.—R. Bowers 478, C. Porter 640, G. Sapp 452, E. Mooney 473, E. Vignera 512, handicap 300. Total 3,031.

Colonist Nonpareils won two.

### COMMERCIAL B TENPIN LEAGUE

Slade's—P. Martin 570, H. Dimes 585, G. Burns 509, D. Hunter 484, H. Woolston 548, handicap minus 12. Total 2,634.

Scott & Peden 512, Newton 486, J. Peden 519, G. Todd 451, S. Mackay 581, low score 455, handicap plus 81. Total 2,534.

Slade's won two.

Coast Hardware—G. Morley 548, P. Goodman 535, A. Swallow 298, W. Fulton 479, B. Pickett 472, G. Thackray 214, handicap minus 88. Total 2,472.

Madonald's Consolidated—P. Ray 521, J. Collins 491, I. Malcolm 528, T. Lambie 482, P. Young 512, handicap minus 69. Total 2,456.

Coast Hardware won two.

Scott & Peden 471, W. McCreger 471, R. Crawford 539, P. Dillabough 418, low score 137, handicap minus 23. Total 2,341.

Trimmer—C. Caddell 429, R. Knott 411, J. Bacon 450, A. Cliff 494, M. Lawson 508, handicap 28. Total 2,227.

Northwestern Creamery won two.

### AUTOMOTIVE FIVEPIN LEAGUE

Revercomb Motors—B. Graham 446, W. Revercomb 435, A. Northwick 571, R. Peden 521, L. Graham 133, handicap 321. Total 2,457.

Revercomb Motors won three by default.

Imperial Oil Co.—J. Struthers 471, O. Hopkins 431, P. Fitzsimmons 483, W. Smith 507, H. Stuart 539, handicap 207. Total 2,660.

Beggs Motor Co.—Robillard 482, McEwen 442, McDonald 437, Lumsden 405, Riddell 417, handicap 297. Total 2,839.

Imperial Oil Co. won three.

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### Boots and Her Buddies



### By Martin



### Bringing Up Father



### By George McManus

### Mr. and Mrs.



### By V. T. Hamlin

### Alley Oop

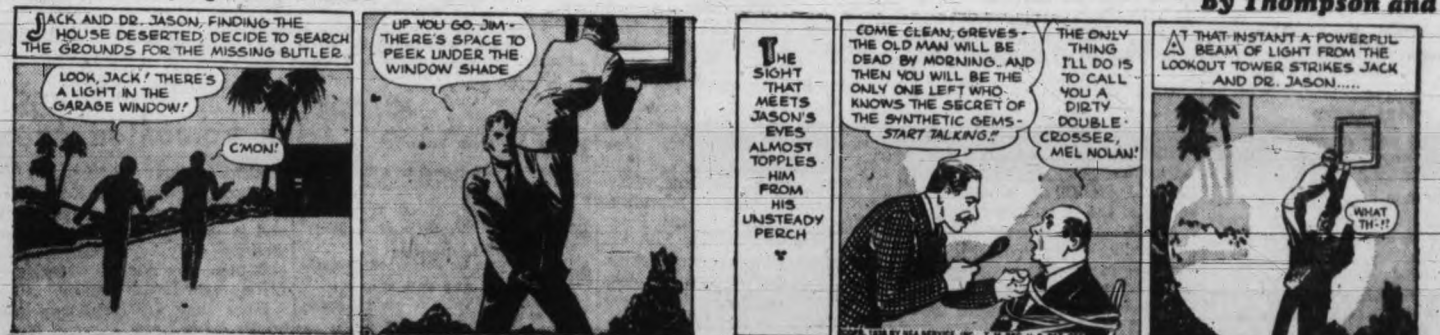


### Freckles and His Friends



### By Merrill Blosser

### Myra North, Special Nurse



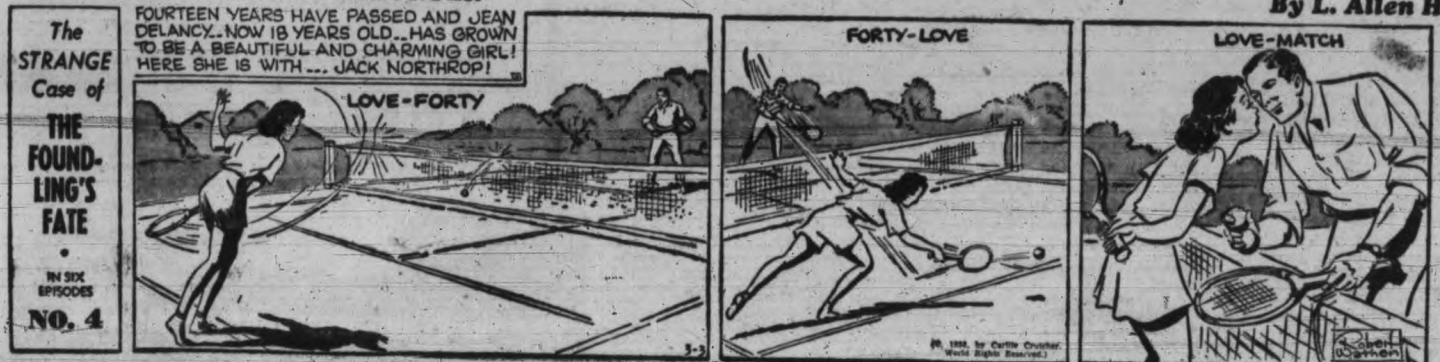
### By Thompson and Coll

### Wash Tubbs



### By Crane

### BELA LANAN — COURT REPORTER



### By L. Allen Heine

## Uncle Ray

### More About Java

Hot springs bubble out of the ground in some places in Java, and there are geysers as well. The geysers are not nearly so high as those in Yellowstone Park, but they are very interesting to tourists who have not seen "bigger and better" ones.



Java man tapping rubber tree.

Even a small geyser is a wonder of nature. It throws out a jet of hot water and steam from time to time. The water comes from rain, or from melted snow. It seeps into the ground and is heated by hot rocks. When enough steam pressure is formed, the water gushes upward.

Java is one and a half times as large as Ireland, and has nine times as many people. There is no other island except Great Britain with so many people. The population is six times as great as that of Australia. Java has more than 800 persons for each square mile. The population has grown a great deal during the past 20 years.

In addition to geysers, Java has a large number of active volcanoes. There is always danger that an explosion of one of these will damage homes or take a toll in human life.

Rice is the greatest food crop of Java. The farmers use water buffaloes to plough their fields. Maize, or Indian corn, is another important crop. Seeds for this grain were brought to Java from the New World.

Tea and coffee are also grown on farms and plantations. No doubt you have heard of "Mocha" and "Java" as famous kinds of coffee. Mocha coffee gained its fame from a port on the Red Sea from which it has been exported for a long time.

Have you eaten a "taploc" dessert lately? If so, you have taken food from plants grown in the tropics. Java and other tropical lands produce cassava plants. Starch is obtained from cassava rootstocks, and is made into the little round balls which we call taploc.

Rubber trees grow in Java, and are tapped by native workers. Other products of the island are sugar, peanuts, coconuts, and bananas. The people are fond of baked and fried bananas, and they use one kind of banana as a medicine.

About 100 kinds of orchids are found in Java, and 6,000 kinds of ferns. Like Ceylon, this island is a "tropical paradise."

UNCLE RAY.  
Tomorrow — Steaming Northward.

### Modern Etiquette

By ROBERTA LEE

1. Is it courteous for a man to say to a girl, "What night next week can you have dinner with me?"

2. Should a girl refuse a date just by saying, "No, I can't go?"

3. Is it a good idea to write anonymous letters?

4. If one writes to an unknown person and asks for an answer to his letter, should he enclose an addressed and stamped envelope?

5. Is "Thanking you in advance" a proper phrase to use in a business letter?

What would you do if—

You are writing to a woman and do not know whether or not she is married, would you begin the letter—

(a) Dear Miss Smith?

(b) Dear Mrs. Smith?

(c) My dear Jane Smith?

ANSWERS

1. Not unless they are old friends. Otherwise he should ask for one night so that she can give a ready excuse if she doesn't want to go.

2. She should at least add, "I'm sorry."

3. No. If you can't sign your name it usually is better not to write.

4. Yes. Unless the matter is part of the person's business routine.

5. No, it is presumptuous to thank a person before he has consented to a favor.

Best "What would you do" solution—(a).

DUNCAN

Mrs. A. Sullivan, Victoria, speaker at the Women's Canadian Club, on Monday, with her subject, "A Mosaic From Books," discussed propaganda novels,

## Dorothy Dix's Letter Box

DEAR MISS DIX—Suppose a young man is very much attracted to a girl, but is not yet really in love with her. Is there anything that he can do before he goes off the deep end to assure himself whether she is the right one and would make him the kind of a wife he wants?

CHARLES.

Answer—Yes, there is a lot that a man can do to save himself if he will only look before he leaps into the sea of matrimony. If, while one is still sane and in complete possession of his faculties, he would make a few soundings into the depths of the water into which he is contemplating plunging and investigate how dangerous are the rocks among which he is about to dive, it would save a lot of heartaches and possibly alimony.



You see, love, except in novels, doesn't strike a man down like a bolt of lightning. Instead it creeps upon you slowly and insidiously like some obscure disease that you never dreamed that you would have. You meet a girl who just looks at first like any of the other thousands of girls you have met, but, somehow, you find yourself thinking of her after you leave her. Then you meet her again and she looks better at a close-up than she did at first, and for some reason you don't bother to fathom you send her flowers the next day and make a date with her.

She is still nothing in your young life, but you keep hanging around her and taking her places. You discover you like the same things, read the same books. It is just wonderful how well you dance together, and you feel yourself slipping. The malady is progressing. You are falling in love. You have that gone feeling and are subject to hectic chills and fevers. But your trouble isn't fatal as yet. There is still time to save yourself if you act promptly.

It is the moment of grace which every man's guardian angel grants him in which to stop, look and listen before he falls so much in love with a girl that he is blind to all her faults and blemishes and deaf to all the warnings that prudence shrieks in his ears against marrying one who is totally unsuited to him.

So, while you are trembling on the brink of love, I would suggest that you consider four points very carefully and prayerfully. First. Will she make the kind of wife you want? Now is the time to have that question out with yourself because after you fall in love you won't be able to tell.

You will be so doped up with sentiment that you will see things as you want to see them and think that an extravagant, clothes-mad girl with social ambitions will make an ideal wife for a poor man striving to rise in the world; that a girl who loathes domesticity and doesn't know how to boil water will just suit a home-loving man who is fussy about his eating.

Second. Take a good, long, lingering look at the girl's background. Does she belong to your class? Are her people refined and cultured? Is she well educated and intelligent? Find these things out before you are so obsessed with love that you will be fool yourself into thinking that when you marry a girl you don't marry her family, and that a Dumb Dora will be an entertaining life companion for a bookish man.

Third. Take notes on a girl's attitude toward her family. Is she the one-who-must-be-obeyed? Do her mother and father stand in awe of her? Does she have the best clothes and monopolize the car? Now is your chance to find out whether, if you marry her, you will be a henpecked husband whose wife keeps his nose to the grindstone to pay her bills, or whether you will be a spoiled husband whose wife is always on her tiptoes to please him. After you are in love you will go along and marry her anyway, no matter how many red lanterns are strung across your pathway.

Fourth. And this is most important of all: When you begin to feel "thataway" about a girl, try to diagnose your symptoms and see whether this is just one of the slight attacks of the grand passion that you have had so often before and that passed off with a little time and other girls, or if your heart is really involved and you have a chronic case that will last as long as you live.

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romantic novels, biographies of British Columbia.

Miss L. Kingston presided at the meeting of the W.A. to the hospital on Monday afternoon.

The W.A. undertook to furnish a room in the maternity ward at an approximate cost of \$450, Mrs. McIver to head a committee to take charge of this.

The question of holding an annual hospital ball was discussed, and May 5 was mentioned as a tentative date.

## Movie Scrapbook

By Bill Porter Caricatures by George Scarbo

### JUNE STOREY



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## Bargain Fares Are Arranged

VANCOUVER—Bargain fares for travel from Pacific Coast and other British Columbia stations as far east as Nelson, Revelstoke, Blue River and McBride, to the prairies, are being offered by the Canadian National and Canadian Pacific railways, March 19 to 27 inclusive, it was announced today in Winnipeg by Jos. B. Parker, secretary of the Canadian Passenger Association.

On sale between these dates the tickets, good for coach travel only, carry a 30-day return limit. Concurrently bargain fares are being offered for travel from the prairies to British Columbia. The bargain fares apply from stations in British Columbia to all points in Alberta, Saskatchewan, Manitoba and Ontario as far east as Port Arthur and Armstrong.

Stopovers will be allowed only at Jasper, Banff, Calgary, Edmonton and McLeod.

### HAPPY VALLEY

A card party will be held Friday evening in the schoolhouse, the proceeds to benefit the hall improvement fund. Five hundred and bridge will be played. At a meeting held Monday evening in Luxton Hall the Luxton and Happy Valley residents were enthusiastic over the improvements carried out at the hall under the direction of W. Lock and G. Duncan. It is planned to have the formal opening early in April.

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and mail it with your name and address to W. S. Rice Company, 1211 Clifton Avenue, Niagara Falls, Ont., Canada. You will receive absolutely free and no obligation a genuine test and full particulars of this amazing method for reducing ruptures control that is bringing a new ease, comfort and freedom to thousands who have suffered for years.

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## Fast-moving Ship Stopped Quickly

Ss. President Hoover, Doing  
20 Knots; Stopped Dead in  
Two Minutes

SAN FRANCISCO (AP)—Dr. K. C. Parks, ship's surgeon of the wrecked Dollar liner, President Hoover, testified yesterday at an investigation into the cause of the ship's crash that he treated a passenger for over indulgence in alcohol the night the vessel piled up off the Formosan coast last December.

Dr. Parks said at a hearing of the board of marine inspection and navigation investigating causes of the wreck that he did not treat any of the crew for alcoholism and did not even so much as see any of them take a drink. He added, however, that he saw six or seven of the crew ashore near his first aid station seemingly "a bit intoxicated" and wanting to sing.

Much of the afternoon's testimony was given by Chief Engineer F. J. Wilkinson who related technical information relating to the vessel's speed. The Hoover required 2 minutes, 40 seconds to come to a dead stop from 20 knots, said Wilkinson. He said the vessel was making 19.6 knots when the craft struck.

Fred W. Dorr, attorney for Capt. George Yardley of the President Hoover, said he believed the captain would be recovered from an illness sufficiently to appear and testify within a few days. Capt. Yardley arrived Tuesday from the Orient by Ss. President Taft.

Hearings are being conducted by a board headed by Capt. Wm. Fisher.

### Pilots' Lookout

Capac (American), passed Victoria, outbound, 12.45 a.m.  
Albertolite (British), passed Victoria, bound Vancouver, 4.20 a.m.

Liberty Glo (American), passed Victoria, bound James Island, 3 a.m.  
Rothley (British), passed Victoria, bound Englewood, 1 p.m.

Borgestad (Norwegian), leaving Crofton, for Vancouver, 3 p.m.  
Damsterdyk (Dutch), due Victoria, from Europe ports, between 8 and 9 p.m.

Portland (German), due Race Rocks, bound Vancouver, at midnight.  
Roman de Larrinaga (British), due Race Rocks, bound Vancouver, at midnight.

President McKinley (American), due Victoria, from Orient ports, Friday at midnight.

Assyrians are credited with being the first to use iron war weapons.

## Around the Docks

With 285 tons of general freight and eight tourist passengers, the Holland-America Line's motorship Damsterdyk will reach Victoria this evening from Rotterdam and London, via the Panama Canal, California ports and Seattle.

She has general cargo from Europe, citrus fruits from California and bananas from South America for discharge at this port.

Capt. A. Dekema is in command of the Damsterdyk this voyage. He was formerly on the Dinteldyk but took over the bigger ship when her former skipper, Capt. J. P. Westphal, was promoted to the bridge of the big Dutch liner Veendam, plying the Atlantic between Holland and New York.

The United States vessel Liberty Glo is today at James Island discharging 1,500 tons of nitrates from Virginia.

She passed through quarantine at William Head early this morning, en route to the Island from Seattle, where she discharged all day yesterday. She will later return to Seattle to load full of lumber for the Atlantic seaboard.

Plans are going ahead for another attempt to raise the sunken Buelah at the Ogden Point piers. Salvage workmen are placing wires underneath the temperamental vessel, which has defied all salvage attempts since she sank at her dock a few days after Christmas.

High tide comes next Tuesday and a try at salvage will probably be made then.

Meanwhile the ship's crew of Polynesians is still housed in the Dominion Government immigration building on Dallas Road. They are enjoying their enforced stay in Victoria, although at times they are homesick for the tropical climate of their South Sea Island homes.

H. P. Porter, 2806 Foul Bay Road, chief electrician of the cableship Restorer, reached Midway Island by plane on Tuesday of this week, according to word received by Capt. C. M. C. Fleming, master of the Restorer.

He left San Francisco a week ago yesterday by the China Clipper, made the overnight flight to Honolulu and was held there several days because of bad weather. The flight from Honolulu to Midway took 12 hours.

The Restorer is still at the Yarrow plant in Esquimalt harbor for boiler repairs, following her recent lengthy voyage to Singapore and Manila. It may be necessary for her to proceed again to the South Pacific when repairs are complete.

Inbound from ports in Japan, the N.Y.K. motorship Hiye Maru will reach William Head at 1 Monday morning and proceed from there to Vancouver.

There are 115 passengers aboard—61 for Vancouver and 54 for Seattle. For Vancouver the liner has 1,090 tons of general freight, including 330 tons of peanut oil and 187 packages of raw silk for onward shipment to New York.

Ms. Hikawa Maru is scheduled to sail from Vancouver on Saturday for Japan.

Carrying the Canadian athletes, returning from the Empire Games in Sydney, Ss. Niagara is expected to reach Honolulu tomorrow and will sail in the evening for Victoria, being due here Thursday or Friday of next week.

### Former Kootenay Skipper Is Dead

NELSON (CP)—Captain Fred Cogle, 73-year-old master mariner of Proctor, B.C., who skipped sternwheelers on Kootenay Lake for more than 30 years, died yesterday. He had been ill for some time.

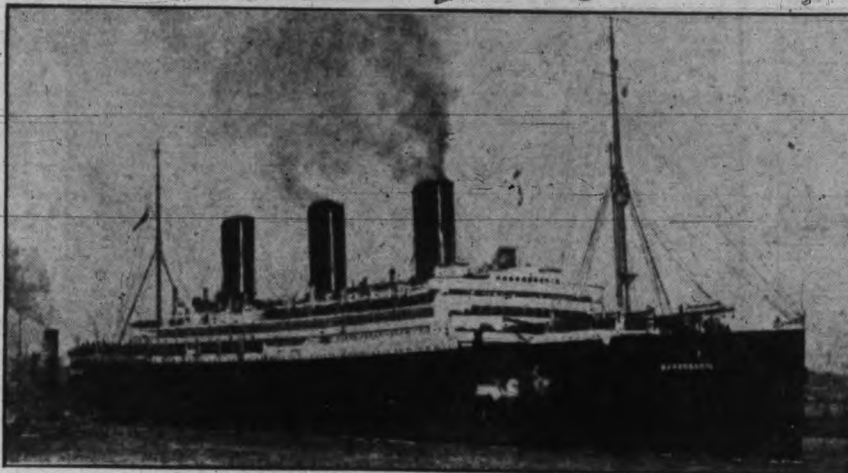
Captain Cogle was at one time captain of the On Dot, the Enterprise and the Snug Cove, lake vessels.

### EARNINGS DECREASE

MONTREAL (CP)—Gross revenues of the Canadian National Railways for the week ending February 28 decreased \$406,332 to \$3,622,202 compared with \$4,028,534 the same period a year ago.

The largest star yet found is 3,000 times the diameter of our sun.

## Fire Does Much Damage to Big Atlantic Liner



SS. BERENGARIA

NEW YORK—Fire of undetermined origin early today swept the luxurious first-class lounge of the Cunard-White Star liner Berengaria, causing damage which firemen estimated at more than \$10,000. Smoke routed many of the 150 passengers who had come aboard the vessel last night, and they fled to upper decks. Under the glare of powerful searchlights, the crew, aided by two fireboats and three land fire companies, fought the blaze for three hours. One fireman was slightly injured.

## Sealing Fleet Is Prepared For Sea

Seamen Pour Into New-  
foundland Headquarters to  
Make Ready For Season

ST. JOHN'S, Nfld. (CP)—There was an air of excitement pervading this old seaport today, as adventurous Newfoundlanders from innumerable little coastal outposts began to pour into St. John's in answer to the annual assembly-call of the "swiflers."

For it's one of the biggest days of the year in the capital when the sealing fleet sails each spring, bound for the ice floes of the north, and adventures that even those who have gone to the seal hunt for many a year refuse to predict.

Seven ships made the trip last year, with 1,500 men aboard, and it is expected about the same number will be going this year. Which means plenty of competition for berths, because despite the hazards of the voyage, many more men want to go than can be placed.

It is characteristic of the adventurous spirit of Newfoundlanders that obvious dangers of the trade mean nothing to youngsters and veterans already beginning to fill St. John's with their noise and revelry. Invariably, some of those not gaining a berth stow away in hopes of remaining hidden until it is too late to drop them off.

And yet, the dangers of the trip are no less real because the "swiflers" resolutely ignore them. Aside from the odd fisherman who slips from a floe and is drowned, terrible disasters have overtaken the fleet at times. Sometimes storms arise, shifting the ice-floes and separating men from their ships while the seal-killing is in progress. The Newfoundland lost 77 of her crew that way in 1914. Then there are the dangers of shipwreck, and the relentless crush of the ice-pack. Nobody knows what happened to the Southern Cross, which disappeared with her entire crew of 173.

### ONLY FOUR LEFT

It takes only a glance at the records of Newfoundland's "Wooden Walls" to show the eventual fate of most of the vessels in the trade. Fifty-seven sturdy oak and greenheart hulls have been built for the sealing, of which only four remain. And yet only one ship has ever been pronounced unseaworthy and broken up in port; ice, storms and explosions have accounted for the others.

Yet those old ships remaining wait at their berths giving all the impression of being as anxious to be off to the hunt as are those who man them. There is the Ranger, with the history of 66 years of battling heavy floes carved into her gouged and battered sides, the Neptune, only one year younger, the Terra Nova, 53 years old, and the Eagle, a mere 31.

These products of another day are all expected to make the trip again this year, fighting for top honors with their more modern steel-hulled sisters, although major part of the old sealers went down before the thing against which they fought all their lives, crushed and broken by the relentless ice. Exceptions were the Viking and the Tigress, which blew up, with more than 20 lives lost in each case.

But while disaster after disaster thinned the ranks, the other ships have continued to make the trip. Once their oaken stems were crunching against the northern ice, nothing could stop them until the last unbearable crush of the pack wrote "lost in the ice while sealing" beside the name of yet another of Newfoundland's "Wooden Walls."

### Spoken By Wireless

March 2, 8 p.m.—Shipping:  
ALBERTOLITE bound Vancouver, 174 miles from Vancouver.  
RAMON DE LARRINAGA bound Vancouver, 220 miles south of Ketchikan.  
PRESIDENT MCKINLEY, Yokohama to Victoria, 704 miles from Victoria.  
March 3, 12 noon—Weather:  
Victoria—Part cloudy; northeast, light; 29.46; 41; sea, light swell.  
Pachena Point—Clear; light, variable wind; 29.38; 40; sea, heavy swell.  
Swifshire Lightship—Part cloudy; east, light; 29.47; 45; sea, choppy.  
Point Grey—Clear, calm; 29.46; 45; sea, smooth.  
Capt. Laro—Part cloudy; calm; 29.30; 46; sea, smooth.

## STOLEN RIDE IS PAID FOR

Prairie Man, Who Rode the  
Rods, Found Work on Island  
and Then Paid Fare

VANCOUVER—When a rod-rider wants to pay his fare, that's news.

It was pleasant news to Canadian National Railways today when they received a request to name their price for a ride stolen on a freight train to the coast from a small Saskatchewan town last spring.

Neither was the railway ungrateful. In seeking to name the lowest fare they checked back to the date mentioned and discovered there was an excursion being operated from the prairies to the coast at the time. This being much lower than the regular fare the excursion rate was quoted.

In their reply the railway expressed appreciation. The conscientious patron, who remains anonymous as far as the railroad is concerned, evidently secured work in the lumber industry on Vancouver Island after his trip.

### Ship Subsidy To Africa Reduced

VANCOUVER (CP)—The subsidy of the North Pacific Shipping Company Ltd. service between British Columbia ports and South Africa has been renewed, according to J. MacInnes, managing director of the steamship company. MacInnes said the subsidy had been reduced from \$84,000 to \$80,000 but that it still required one ship per month on the service. The new agreement goes into effect April 1.

The line's next two vessels due here have been chartered from the King Line. One will arrive late this month and the other early in April.

### Japanese Vessel Loads For China

PORT ALBERNI (CP)—The Ss. Hakubasan Maru arrived in port Tuesday night and commenced loading lumber yesterday morning. She will take 2,600,000 feet of lumber and expects to sail for Shanghai on Saturday. She came here from Victoria.

In place of the usual run of lumber shipped to the Orient, this ship will load bridge timbers, which will be used for reconstruction in the war zone. The cargo is billed for Japanese firms in Shanghai.

Local officials have received special instructions regarding the crew of 42 members, and a special check-up is being made of the crew. There is a large number of Japanese in the city today, but whether they have anything to do with the ship or intend to take passage on it cannot be ascertained.

About 25 institutions in the United States give courses leading to degrees in forestry.

## Seamen Fly to Catch Steamer

Berengaria Late in Reaching New-  
York, So Navy Officers Fly  
to B.C. Coast

NEW YORK (CP)—Somewhere between here and the West Coast seven British tars were racing to catch a ship sailing from Victoria and Vancouver for Hongkong.

The sailors were set back when the liner Berengaria was a day late in docking at New York. They took to the skies from Newark and arrived at Chicago last night.

From there they were to proceed to Minneapolis, where they expected to catch up with the train they originally were to have taken to Vancouver.

The seven are Chief Petty Officers G. A. Henby, G. House, B. Esling, E. E. Woodrow, J. S. Kettle, A. A. Shaw and F. B. Prior, all en route to join the British fleet in Chinese waters. It is expected these British seamen will sail from Victoria Saturday afternoon for Hongkong by Ss. Empress of Japan. They will probably reach Seattle this evening and Vancouver tomorrow morning, giving them a day to spare.

### At World Ports

Arrivals—Batavia, Feb. 28; Bengkalis for San Francisco; Rotterdam, Feb. 27; Weser, San Francisco; Bremen, Feb. 27; Oakland, San Francisco; Dunkirk, Feb. 27; Wisconsin, San Francisco; New York, March 2; Toulouse, Los Angeles; Nebraska, San Francisco; Jacksonville, March 2; Arkansas, Los Angeles. Sailed—Kobe, March 1, Naruto Maru for Los Angeles; Manchester, March 1, King Arthur, Vancouver; Glasgow, Feb. 28, Corrientes, Victoria, B.C.; New York, March 2, American, Los Angeles.

### CANAL MOVEMENTS

Panama Canal, March 2 (AP)—Passed east: Cape Nelson (Br.), Iquique for Charleston; Steel-maker, San Francisco for New York and Philadelphia; Lafayette (Fr.), La Guayra for New York; Louisiana, Tocopilla for New York; Dakotan, Los Angeles for New York and Philadelphia; New York (Ger.), Colon for New York.

Passed west: Pomona, New York for Los Angeles; Floridian, Baltimore for San Diego; Point Clear, New Orleans for Los Angeles and San Francisco; Johilla (Br.), Barbados for Los Angeles; Jefferson Myers, New York and Philadelphia for San Diego; Mexican, Philadelphia and New York for Los Angeles and San Francisco; Kensington Court (Br.), Dunkirk for Vancouver; Elbe (Ger.), Halifax for Los Angeles; Villanger (Nor.), Rotterdam for Los Angeles and San Francisco.

Arrivals—New York, March 2, Berengaria, from Southampton; Havre, March 1, City of Newport News, Baltimore; March 2, Manhattan, New York; Marseilles, Feb. 27, Excalibur, New York; Plymouth, March 1, Manhattan, New York; Buenos Aires, March 2, American Legion, New York; Liverpool, March 1, Lancastria, New York; Kingston, March 2, Kungsholm, New York; Magallanes, March 2, Rotterdam, New York; St. Pierre, March 2, Staden, New York; Rotterdam, March 1, Volendam, New York; Naples, March 2, Vulcania, New York; Antwerp, March 2, Westmoreland, New York.

Sailed—New York, March 2, Bergensford for Bremen, Normandie, Havre; Quirigua, Kingston, President Roosevelt, Hamburg; Hamburg, March 2, President Harding, New York; Santos, March 2, Western Prince, New York; Nassau, March 2, Carinthia, New York; Callao, March 2, Santa Clara, New York; Southampton, Feb. 28, City of Hamburg, Baltimore; Manila, Feb. 28, President Coolidge, San Francisco.

## LINERS FOR USE OF NAVY

U.S. Plans 40 Fast Passenger  
Ships, 16 Stationed On  
Pacific Coast

WASHINGTON (AP)—The United States Navy's defense program calls for a merchant marine fleet of 40 fast passenger ships, it was learned yesterday. At least 16 of them would be available at all times on the Pacific Coast.

Capt. Royal E. Ingersoll, chief of naval war plans, said the Navy would like to have the 16 ships ready for immediate conversion into hospital and troop ships in the event of an emergency.

In a letter to Representative Welch (R-Cal.), Ingersoll said that in order to insure the availability of these ships on the Pacific Coast at all times, there ought to be a total of 40 of them in the merchant service.

Welch said Ingersoll had told him earlier there were not more than three or four ships of the desired type now operating on the west coast.

The disclosure of the Ingersoll letter was one of a number of developments bearing on the Navy.

Another development was a disclosure that the Navy is making a check of thousands of small commercial craft and yachts, to determine their possible usefulness in an emergency.

## FAMED BRIDGE BUILDER DIES

Dr. J. A. L. Waddell, 84,  
Designed Fraser River  
Bridge 35 Years Ago

NEW YORK (AP)—Dr. John Alexander Low Waddell, 84, engineering authority credited with originating the modern vertical lift bridge, died in his apartment today after a short illness. He was born at Port Hope, Ont.

Dr. Waddell designed and constructed more than 70 lift bridges in this country and abroad.

He was decorated by the Chinese, Italian, Japanese and Russian governments and in 1931 the American Association of Engineers conferred on him the Clausen Medal as the man who in the preceding half century had done "the most to advance the interests of the engineering profession in the United States."

Dr. Waddell's best-known Canadian bridge is the one over the Fraser River at New Westminster, built about 35 years ago, and replaced a few months ago by the Pattullo Bridge. He was in charge of the building of 19 bridges in British Columbia for the Canadian Northern Pacific Railway in 1912.

### MAILS

BRITISH  
Close 4 p.m. March 3, Ss. Queen Mary, via New York. Air mail closes 8:30 a.m. March 4.  
Close 4 p.m. March 3, Ss. Bremen, via New York. Air mail closes 8:30 a.m. March 4.  
Close 1:10 p.m. March 7, Ss. Duchess of York.  
WEST INDIES  
Close 1:10 p.m. February 28 and March 3.  
CHINA AND JAPAN  
\*Empress of Japan, March 5, 4 p.m.; arriving Yokohama March 10, Shanghai March 22, Hongkong March 25.  
\*Taishyibus, March 6, 1:10 p.m.; arriving Yokohama March 23, Shanghai April 2, Hongkong April 6.  
\*Empress of Asia, March 19, 4 p.m.; arriving Yokohama April 4, Shanghai April 7, Hongkong April 9.  
\*President Grant, March 28, 4 p.m.; arriving Yokohama April 9, Hongkong April 26.  
\*Carries mail for Honolulu.

AUSTRALIA AND NEW ZEALAND  
\*Nagasaki, March 10, 4 p.m.; arriving Auckland April 4, Sydney April 9.  
\*Mariposa, via San Francisco, March 25, 11:15 p.m.; arriving Auckland April 14, Sydney April 17.

The newest and biggest telescope is so powerful that an individual could—if the earth were flat—read a sign in New York from San Francisco.

## Bargain Trip to OKANAGAN FRIDAY, MARCH 11

Lv. Vancouver 7.15 p.m.  
to  
Ashcroft --- \$7.10  
Tranquille --- 8.05  
Kamloops --- 8.30  
Armstrong --- 10.25  
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## B.C. PLAYERS WIN IN NA- TIONAL MEET

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played, she was joined by Mrs. Harley Hughes and Mrs. Gordon Pirt of Winnipeg in the battle to keep the title from Mrs. W. R. Walton of Toronto, finalist with Mrs. Patrick last year.  
Mrs. Walton defeated Audrey Garnett of Winnipeg, 11-1, 11-4, while Miss Taylor scored an 11-4, 11-0 success over Mary McPhee of Winnipeg. Mrs. Hughes had to come from behind to down Norma Hall of Ottawa, 8-11, 11-4, 11-1, and Mrs. Pirt did the same in stopping Elizabeth Kennedy of Montreal, 11-12, 11-8, 11-3.

DOUBLES PLAY  
Miss Vess O'Shea teamed with Samis to carry a promising Vancouver challenge into the third round of mixed doubles with a 15-3, 15-1 win over Mr. and Mrs. E. V. Pinkham of Montreal, and the west counted on Miss Taylor and Pentland, who took their second-round match over Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Clark of Montreal, after advancing on a bye through the first.

Ontario reached the finals in the interprovincial competition for the Manitoba Cup in evening play, making Schlemm a victim of the deciding match in its semi-finals with Quebec, which had knocked off the Maritimes in three straight matches. Manitoba and an Alberta-British Columbia combination were tied in the other bracket at the end of the night's play, with mixed doubles still to be run off.

Miss Taylor and Vess O'Shea of Vancouver brought Alberta-British Columbia an easy win over Audrey Garnett and Edna McPhee of Winnipeg, 15-2, 15-11, but Emmas and Jack Blanchfield of Winnipeg squared Manitoba's account in a marathon battle with John Samis of Vancouver and Bob Pentland of Calgary, 15-18, 17-14, 17-16.

Mixed doubles, second round—Miss Vess O'Shea and John Samis, Vancouver, defeated Mr. and Mrs. E. V. Pinkham, Montreal, 15-3, 15-1. Miss Margaret Taylor, Kelowna, B.C., and Bob Pentland, Calgary, defeated Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Clark, Montreal, by default.

## Many Have Mumps In Edmonton Area

EDMONTON (CP)—The mumps epidemic in Edmonton has reached serious proportions and is continuing to claim new victims daily, according to a statement by Dr. G. Meldrum Little, civic health officer.  
More than 1,500 children and adults have been infected since January 1.

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